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Miners desirous of sending their Dust to the Mint for coinage, can do so on the following terms:

For a Certificate of Deposit at the Mint, on return express, 1 pr. cent will be charged.
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Or, if payment is preferred in Drafts on San Francisco, 1½ pr. cent.
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SIGHT DRAFTS OF LUCAS, TURNER & CO.,
IN SUMS TO SUIT THE FOLLOWING PLACES:

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We will supply Drafts as above at the lowest rates, till within half an hour of the departures of the boats on steamer days.

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R. W. HAMMATT.

Located at the Head of Bear Valley.

Has on hand one of the largest stocks of all kinds of GOODS, in common use, in Mariposa County. An enumeration of kinds or prices is unnecessary, for all are assured that they can be supplied in every respect, at low rates.

To Miners, whether in companies or otherwise, who are buying large lot of Provisions, his attention is especially directed.

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BRIGGS, DYE & CO. are prepared to import every description of goods in their line, on short notice, and as low as any other house in San Francisco.

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98 Montgomery st., corner California.

Charles P. Greenly & Co.,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
HARDWARE,
Sheet and Bar Iron, Steel, Blacksmith's Tools, Cumberland Coal, Farming and Mining Implements, &c.
CENTRE ST., (Near Adams & Co.'s Express Office.)
STOCKTON. j3-tf

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☞ FRENCH BAR, ☜
Tuolumne River.
S. B. EWING.....PROPRIETOR.

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Miscellaneous.

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.... AND ....
TIN SHOP.
S. WORMSER, Proprietor.
Next door to Phillips' Hotel, Mariposa.

The proprietor keeps constantly on hand and for sale, a large assortment of

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which he is prepared to dispose of at San Francisco prices. All kinds of

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In the Tin, Copper, and Sheet-Iron

line, done to order at short notice, and in the best manner.

☞ Call and examine for yourselves,
Mariposa, Jan. 10, 1856-tf

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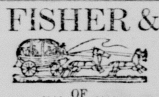
DAILY  LINE
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STOCKTON,
Two Routes, *viz: Old Road*
Via MOUNT OPHIR,
QUARTSBURG,
HORNITOS,
SNELLING'S.
DICKINSON'S, and HEATH & EMERY'S FERRIES.
New Road, on Alternate Days,
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HORNITOS,
PHILLIPS' FERRY,
SNELLINGS'
COXES', FRENCH BAR, and BRANCH FERRY, to
Stockton.

Will leave every Morning at 7 o'clock from the Office of WELLS, FARGO & CO., Main Street Mariposa.

Mariposa, August 28th 1855. tf

PIONEER
STEAM SAW MILL!
NEAR THE HEAD OF SHERLOCK'S CREEK.

THE UNDER SIGNED take this opportunity to return their thanks to their friends for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed, and inform them and the public generally that they still continue to manufacture the

BEST QUALITY OF
LUMBER AND SHINGLES,

and solicit a continuance of their favors.

The road leading to our Mill, is of our own construction—at our own cost—and the best and shortest one leading to a Saw Mill from the Stockton and Mariposa road in this county.

WHITE, HATCH & Co.
By G. GREEN, Ag't.

Millville, Jan. 10, 1856-tf.

The Eyes! The Eyes!!

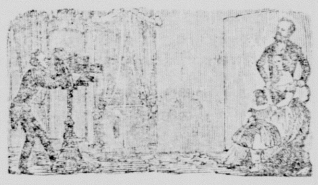
DR. E. H. PARDEE, OCULIST.

AFTER a protracted blindness of more than five years, DR. PARDEE has made himself thoroughly and scientifically acquainted with all disorders of the Eye, and is now practising, with universal success, the same treatment by which he was cured.

A WORD OF CAUTION—The Eye is by far too precious and delicate an organ to be trifled with, or made the subject of random experiments; therefore it would be exceedingly unwise, and perhaps dangerous, to accept any of the "Never-Failing Cures" that are tendered by the mistaken kindness of all around," for every one offers a specific for diseases of the eye.

☞ Many patients can be seen daily at the office of DR. PARDEE, in different stages of recovery.

OFFICE—San Francisco, west of the Plaza, opposite the Post Office, one door north of the Portsmouth House, up stairs. sept-tf

DR. HUBBELL & Co.,
DAGUERRIANS

.... AND ....
DENTISTS!
First Door below Dr. Ward's Office, and nearly opposite Harris and All son's Law Office, Mariposa.

THE above firm have erected a new building designed expressly for the above business.

DR. HUBBELL is well known as an experienced
DENTAL OPERATOR,
and will give particular attention to those in need of such services.

Dr. H. & Co. have also a room fitted for the purpos of taking

DAGUERREOTYPES.

They have a first rate Camera, and a LARGE SKY LIGHT, which is very necessary in taking good Pictures. The public will please call and examine for themselves.

☞ *Office hours from 9, A. M. until 4, P. M.*
Mariposa, Nov. 19, 1855. tf.

NOTICE.

FOR UP COUNTRY TRADERS.
Wm. C. Payne,
[Formerly of the firm of Payne & Co. Fine Gold gulch,]

TAKES this method of informing his friends of Mariposa County and elsewhere, that he has located himself in San Francisco, and intends to devote his time entirely to

Buying Goods on Commission,

for up country dealers. All orders will receive prompt attention. The goods will be selected with care and shipped under his personal supervision.—Having had several years experience in trading in the mines and purchasing goods in this market, he feels confident that he can give satisfaction to those who favor him with their orders for goods. He can be found from 5 P. M. until 9 A. M., at the St. Nicholas Hotel, corner of Sansome and Commercial streets. His office is at No. 109 Front Street, 2d floor, to which place all communications intended for him should be addressed.

San Francisco, Jan. 17, 1855-tf.

NOTICE.

TAKEN UP BY E. ALEXANDER, at his ranch near Mariposita, on Monday the 5th of May, one CREAM COLORED MARE, black main, tail and fore legs—is seven years old, and has a Spanish brand on the left thigh. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take her away.

E. ALEXANDER.
Mariposita, May 9, 1856. m9-4t.

To the Public.

The undersigned respectfully announces to the citizens of Mariposa and vicinity, that he has opened a shop on

BULLION STREET,

For the purpose of carrying on the

Casting and Finishing Business.

BILLIARD BALLS will be turned, PUMPS fitted, and every thing connected with Machinery will be attend d to.

—ALSO—

WEATHER BOARDING and SIDING always on hand and for sale. d20-tf N. HASKELL.

ROPE—Manila and Hemp Cordage, of all sizes. Also—Oars, Blocks, Tar, Pitch, Rosin and Oakum for sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS.
m18-tf Corner Main and Hunter streets, Stockton.

San Francisco Advertisements.

Dr. L. J. Czapkay's

GRAND MEDICAL & SURGICAL INSTITUTE.
ARMORY HALL BUILDING,
Corner of Montgomery and Sacramento sts., San Francisco.

Established for the Permanent Cure of all Private and Chronic Diseases, and the suppression of Quackery.

Dr. L. J. CZAPKAY, late in the Hungarian Revolutionary War, Chief Physician to the 20th Regiment of Honveds, Chief Surgeon to the Military Hospital of Pesth, Hungary, and late Lecturer on diseases of Urinary Organs and Diseases of Women and Children would most respectfully inform the public of California that he has opened an Institute for the cure of Chronic Diseases of the lungs, liver, kidneys, digestive and genital organs, and all Private Diseases, viz: Syphilitic Ulcers, Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Stricture, Seminal Weakness, and all the horrid consequences of self-abuse, and he hopes that his long experience and successful practice of many years will insure him a share of public patronage. By the practice of many years in Europe and the United States, and during the Hungarian War and campaigns, he is enabled to apply the most efficient and successful remedies against diseases of all kind. He uses no Mercury—charges moderate—treats his patients in a correct and honorable way—has references of unquestionable veracity from men of known respectability and high standing in society. All parties consulting him by letter, or otherwise, will receive the best and gentlest treatment and implicit secrecy.

Dr. L. J. CZAPKAY is daily receiving applications from every part of this State and from Oregon and Washington Territories, for treatment of every form of disease, and there is not one who will come forward and express dissatisfaction; on the contrary, the Doctor is in daily receipt of letters expressive of gratitude and thankfulness, some of which are published below by permission.

Portland Oregon, May 15th 1855.

Dr. CZAPKAY—Sir—Your medicine has been taken according to directions. I feel a little weak yet; in every other way I am almost entirely recovered, and think in a short time I shall be as well as ever. Every body that knows me is wondering what made such a change, for some friends thought I had Consumption, and others said I was going crazy. Well I don't know but that they were both right, as I felt a good deal both ways, and thought that if I didn't die soon I would like to.

I am not troubled any more with emissions, and the pain in my head and back, and the weakness in my limbs have left me, and so has the dizziness, timidity and the wish always to be alone. I am not afraid to go in company now, and am not so easily scared as I used to be, when any little thing would set me trembling. I have been at work this week, which is the first I have done for six months, and the thought of it don't discourage me like it used to. Indeed, I feel like another man, and it is all owing to your medicine and advice. You may publish this if you want to. Yours, etc.

JOSEPH RATH.

Sonora, May 28, 1855.

Dr. L. J. CZAPKAY—Dear Sir—I very much regret that I had not called upon you sooner, for I had been suffering many months, during which time I passed a miserable existence. When I called upon you a few weeks since, I had but little hope of being so speedily recovered. I cannot depict the suffering of mind which I endured, whilst my bodily infirmities made me a burthen to my friends. The confusion in my brain, timidity, the nervousness, when I would get the least excited or alarmed, the love of solitude, the want of appetite and weakness generally, but particularly of my limbs, have all disappeared, as have the nocturnal emissions, and the remains of an old disease that my folly had brought on me. For all this I feel truly thankful to you, for your medicine and advice I am indebted for the restoration of my health. If you think any one would be benefitted by putting this letter in the papers, you are at liberty to do so. Believe me ever graetfully yours. ABRAHAM LORING.

Sacramento, May 15, 1855.

Dear Sir—Such is the thankfulness I feel for the preservation of my health of both body and mind, and I believe of my life, that I hope I will not be considered intrusive in tendering my thankful acknowledgements for restoring me to health, and making my life a been worth preserving, when it had become a burthen too great for me to bear. Victim as I was to vice that had undermined my constitution, and developed a train of nervous symptoms, such as nervous debility, headache, distressing timidity, self distrust, dizziness, love of solitude, loss of memory and want of resolution, besides a loss of strength and energy, which had made my waking moments wretched, and my sleep unrefreshing, and was fast bringing me to the grave; but thanks to your skill, I am restored to health, vigor and energy. Hoping to guide others where they may find relief, you have my permission to make this public.

Greatfully yours, LEONARD WHITE.
To Dr. L. J. Czapkay, San Francisco.

Marysville, June 2, 1855.

Dr. L. J. Czapkay, San Francisco—Sir—I have used the last of your medicine, and do not think I shall need any more as I feel very well, except that I have not entirely got my strength yet, but soon will with the appetite that I have. It is just three weeks you may recollect, since I called at your Institute with my constitution, as I thought, entirely broken, and thought you would never be able to cure me perfectly, but thought you might be able to do something to ease the pain in my back and head and strengthen my limbs which were so weak that they would almost give way under me when I walked, and to strengthen my nerves so that I would not get excited and tremble at every little thing. Now that you know what I expected, you may judge of my satisfaction at my complete recovery from those symptoms, and the removal of those splotches and sores from my skin, and the ulcers from my throat, and the entire stopage of those emissions, which you said were principally the cause of my sickness.

I can hardly tell you which is the greatest, my joy or my surprise, for except not having fully got my strength, I feel as well as any man can feel.

Enclosed I send you twenty dollars over your charge, and think myself cheaply cured. If you think anybody will be benefitted, you may put this letter in the newspapers.

Believe me, greatefully yours.

THOMAS HAYDEN.

☞ Spermatorrhœa, or Local Weaknesses, Nervous Debility, low spirits, lassitude, weakness of the limbs and back, indisposition and incapability for study and labor, dullness of apprehension, loss of memory, aversion to society, love of solitude, timidity, self distrust, dizziness, headache, involuntary discharges, pains in the side, affection of the eyes, pimples on the face, sexual and other infirmities in man, are cured without fail by the justly celebrated Physician and Surgeon, L. J. CZAPKAY. His method of curing diseases is new, (unknown to others,) and hence the great success. All consultations, by letter or otherwise, free. Address, L. J. CZAPKAY, M. D., San Francisco, California.

SYPHILIS AND GONORRHŒA.—Dr L. J. CZAPKAY would ask especial attention to *SYPHILITIC AND GONORRHŒAL* diseases. In the first stages of either of these complaints he guarantees a perfect and effectual cure in a few days, without hindrance to business or the slightest inconvenience. The Doctor's method of treating them, combines all the latest improvements by the Medical Faculty, with discoveries made by himself, more effectually than anything yet known, which secures the patient from the possibility of secondary symptoms, and removes the disease in the shortest possible time.

Secondary Syphilis which appears in consequence of the absorption of the poison into the system, and produces BUBOES, ULCERATIONS in the throat and nose, which destroy the soft parts, and cause the bones to mortify, separate and come away, disfiguring the patient horribly. NODES or painful swellings on the bones. Splotches upon the skin, cases of which the Doctor sees daily in his office, which are the result of improper treatment. Also ULCERS, SORES AND PIMPLES, and injuries to the constitution which, after a long period of suffering, destroy life. It will also be remembered that these disorders are hereditary, passing from parents to child, and entailing upon the offspring a ruined constitution. For the cure of all these forms of disease, the Doctor guarantees a cure or asks no compensation.

The Doctor can be consulted by letter or otherwise free of charge, and invites all who are afflicted to call upon him; where he will give them such satisfaction as they can obtain no where else. His rooms are No. 3 and 4 Armory Hall, corner of Sacramento and Montgomery sts., San Francisco.

THE GREATEST DISCOVERY OF THE AGE.—Great Blessing to Mankind!—Innocent but Potent!—DR. L. J. CZAPKAY'S Prophilacticum, (self-disenfecting agent,) a sure preventive against gonorrhœa, and syphilitic diseases, and an unsurpassed remedy for all venerial, scrofulous, gangrenous and cancerous ulcers, fœtid discharges from vagina, uterus and urethra, and all cutaneous eruptions and diseases. As inoculation is a preventive against small pox, so is Dr. L. J. Czapkay's Prophilacticum a preventive against siphilitical and gonorrhœal diseases; harmless in itself, it possesses the power of chemically destroying the syphilitic virus, and thereby saving thousands from being infected by the most loathsome of all diseases. Let no young man who appreciates health be without Dr. Czapkay's Phophilacticum.—it is in very convenient packages, and will be found convenient to use being used, as a soap. Price, $5. For Sale at DR. L. J. CZAPKAY'S Private Medical and Surgical Institute, Armory Hall, corner of Montgomery and Sacramento sts., San Francisco, Cal.

☞ All orders must be addressed to
L. J. CZAPKAY, M. D.
San Francisco, Cal.

TO THE LADIES OF CALIFORNIA.—Dr. L. J. CZAPKAY, late in the Hungarian Revolutionary War, Chief Physician to the 20th Regiment of Honveds, Chief Surgeon to the Military Hospital of Pesth, Hungary, and late Lecturer on diseases of urinary organs and diseases of women and children, invites the attention of the sick and afflicted females laboring under any of the various forms of Diseases of the Brain, Lungs, Heart, Stomach, Liver, Womb, Blood, Kidneys, and all diseases peculiar to their sex. The Doctor is effecting more cures than any other Physician in the State of California. Let no false delicacy prevent you, but apply immediately, and save yourselves from painful sufferings and premature death. All married ladies whose delicate health or other circumstances do not allow to have an increase in their families, should call at Dr. L. J. Czapkay's Medical Institute, Armory Hall corner of Sacramento and Montgomery streets, and they will receive every possible relief and help.—The Doctor's offices are so arranged that he can be consulted without the fear of molestation. If desired, Dr. C. will visit the Ladies at their residences. All Consultations (by letter or otherwise) free.

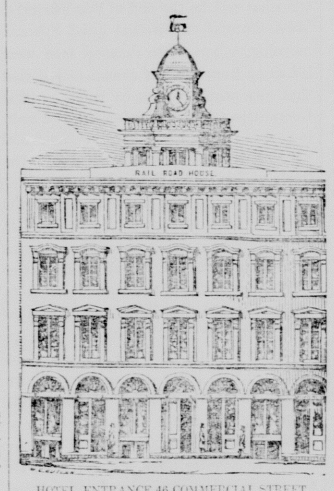
Address to DR. L. J. CZAPKAY,
Medical Institute, Armory Hall,
cor Sacramento and Montgomery sts.' S. F.

PRIVATE MEDICAL AND SURGICAL INSTITUTE.

Dr. L. J. CZAPKY has opened his Institute for the cure of all forms of private disease—such as Syphilis, Gonnorrhœa, Nocturnal Emissions, and all the consequences of self-abuse. In the first stages of Syphilitic or Gonorrhœal diseases, he guarantees a cure in a few days, without inconvenience to the patient, or hindrance to his business. When a patient, by neglect or improper treatment, has developed the secondary symptoms of syphilis, such as bubos or painful swellings on the groins, or ulcers in the throat and nose, which if not checked destroy the soft parts and cause the bones to mortify, separate and come away, leaving the sufferer an object hideous to behold; or when splotches and pimples break out upon the skin, or when he has painful swellings upon the bones, or when his constitution is injured so as to predispose to consumption or other constitutional disease, the doctor guarantees a cure or asks no compensation.

In RHEUMATISM, chronic or acute; in DYSENTARY or DIARRHŒA, he has safe and effectual remedies. For the treatment of the consequences of self-abuse, such as nocturnal emissions, nervousness, timidity, headache, pains in the back and limbs, with general weakness, loss of appetite, loss of memory, injury to the sight, restlessness, confusion of ideas, dislike for society, and a feeling of weariness of life; with the nervous system so excitable that slight noises shock or startle the patient, making his existence miserable. For the above maladies the Doctor will guarantee a cure or ask no compensation. He can be consulted free of charge, and invites all to call, as it will cost them nothing, and may be much to their advantage. His Offices are Nos. 3 and 4 Amory Hall corner of Sacramento sts. ag9-ly

RAIL-ROAD HOUSE.
SAN FRANCISCO.



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RESTAURANTS,
Nos. 48 Commercial and 87 Clay streets,
LADIES ORDINARY, SECOND STORY.
Fire Proof Building.
HALEY & THOMPSON.
d20-tf Proprietors.

Fine Virginia Tobacco.

EL SACRAMENTO BRAND—dark, peach flavor; El Sacramento brand—dry, light colored; Mayflower brand—12 plugs to the pound.

The above brands of Jones' & Hudson's celebrated manufacture, in lots to suit, for sale by

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San Francisco,
Agent for the Manufacturer.
dec 27-tf.

RAILWAY TIME-KEEPERS! RAILWAY TIME-KEEPERS!

THE celebrated Mm. B. Crisp's Patent Railway Time Keepers, of the largest size, with the makers certificate accompanying.

For sale by BRIGGS, BYE & CO.,
98 Montgomery st., corner California.

JAMES NARDIN PERRET WATches, and Pocket Chronometers,

Of every Style and Size, certified by the Manufacturer. For sale by BRIGGS, DYE & CO.,
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EXTRA HEAVY AND FINE
Gold Guard Chains
JUST RECEIVED BY THE
Steamer Golden Age,
at BRIGGS, DYE & CO.,
98 Montgomery st., corner California.

WATCHES & CHRONOMETERS,
REPAIRED AND CLEANED
By an Experienced Workman,
and guarentied by BRIGGS, DYE & CO.,
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WATCHES! WATCHES!

By all the *MOST CELEBRATED* English, French, Swiss and Danish makers, kept constantly on hand and sold at the lowest possible price, by

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TAKEN for any discription of Watches, and forwarded to the manufacturers with dispatch.

BRIGGS, DYE & CO.,
98 Montgomery st., corner California.

JULES JURGENSEN'S
Genuine Copenhagen Watches,
Of all Styles of Movement,
just received, and for sale by
BRIGGS, DYE & CO.,
ALSO,
THE ABOVE CELEBRATEE WATCHES
Suitable for Ladies,
To be found at BRIGGS, DYE & CO
98 Montgomery st., corner California.

Mariposa Gazette.

A Southern Story.

Twenty years ago it was the custom in northwest of Georgia, as indeed it was throughout the southwest, for dry goods dealers to keep a barrel of "spirits" in the back room, and to treat liberal customers to a glass whenever desired.

Fillens and Dewberry were such dealers in one of the small towns indicated, and they had for a customer a clever, frollicking old fellow, who drank whiskey in preference to water always, and whose wife was "flesh of his flesh" in that particular. The old couple would come to town, to trade quite freely, and freely imbibed the spirits in the back rooms of the dealers we have named.

On one occasion both the old man and old woman continued their potations inordinately; and as Fillens observed that his goods went better the drunker the old woman became, he pressed her to drink.

At last she refused unless he "would sweeten it with a little store sugar." Fillens indulged her, and when the old people started home late in the evening, the old man could scarcely mount his horse, and the good wife had actually to be lifted and placed on the pillion behind him. Happily she leaned one way and her husband the other, so that the gravitating point was between them; and, as she clung to him instinctivly, they passed out of the village safely.

Before reaching their home, however they had to cross a small creek, and when the horse stepped in to drink, the old lady, having reached unconsciousness, released her hold and slid quietly into the stream below. Arriving home, the children enquired for "mammy," but the old man could only say that she had been on the critter, and the critter hadn't kicked nary time, so he couldn't say where she must be, and threw himself stupid on the bed.

Girls and boys flew along the road the old man had come, yelling "mammy! mammy!" but of course no mammy responded.

When they arrived at the creek, the oldest girl yelled, "there she is, sitting down in the creek!"

And there she was seated comfortably in the water, which came nearly up to her mouth. As she swayed back and forth, now yielding to the impetuosity of the stream, and now resisting it with some success, the muddy fluid would occasionally wet her lips, and each time it did so she would faintly exclaim, with a grim effort to smile.

"Not a drop more, Mr. Fillens, 'thout it's sweetened,"

And it is to this romantic little incident in the life of the venerable Mrs. Joe Denny, that we are indebted for one of our popular colloquial phrases.

"Traveler for perdition!" said Mrs. Partington, turning round in State street, as a little boy was proclaming in dismal tones that he had the "Traveller's forth edition" for sale. It was evident that she misunderstood him. "Poor child!" said she, with a benignity that would have furnished the capital stock for four Samaritan societies, "and are you really in so bad a way as that? I knowed there was a good many going that road in this neighborhood, but shouldn't think you was one of 'em, so young. But people begin sin airly in Boston, and here you are at your age calling yourself a tarveler for perdition!" The old lady's voice trembled; their was a tear, good for a dime, in her eye; her hand was in her spacious reticule in a search for the coin; the little boy stood selecting the paper from the number under his arm; busy merchants stood buying and selling all around her, and busy brokers were shaving notes, and shaving each other within sound of her voice. The search for the dime went on, but not one cent could she find, and with a benediction to the disappointed boy she left him—hearing his melancoly voice in the distance—"here's the traveler for perdition!" She sighed deeply, and in her abstraction wandered into a snow bank, where Ike had mischieviously led her.

A MODEL DUN.—The Georgetown *Gazette* gets off the following suggestions to its subscribers:

All persons indebted to this office are requested to walk, ride up, roll up, send up, or any way so that they get up, and settle immediately, if not sooner. We are still prepared to furnish our paper to all who want it. We would prefer bank notes, gold dollars and silver quarters in exchange, but in the desperate language of a poverty-stricken and head-over-heels-in-debt cotemporary, will take grindstones, wooden nutmegs, patent wheel-barrows, Shanghai chickens, *hoop* dresses, bootjacks, broom corn, "lasses" candy, "some pumpkins," baby jumpers, (for a friend,) fishing tackle, hoop poles, patent medicines, dye-stuffs, cork-screws, old bacon, young "niggers," sucking pigs, rags, boxes and barrels, old clothes, sausage meat, (extract of *bark* preferred,) post stamps, Lager beer, (used in printing,) grubbing hoes, pick axes, Colt's pistols, warranted not to kick, tooth brushes, tenpenny nails, pins, needles, ginger cakes, circus tickets, or any other article found in a country retail store. Walk up, but don't all come at once.

The following queer items were recently found in the records of the Old Andover Church, in Massachusetts:

"January 17th, 1712. Voted, (under protest) yt those persons who have pews sit *with their wives.*

"November 10th, 1712. Granted to Richard Barker foure shillings, for his extraordinary trouble in sweeping up our meeting house *ye past year.*

"March 17th, 1796. Voted, that all the English women in the parish who *marry or associate with Negro or Mulatto men* be seated in the Meeting house with *Negro women.*"

This old church was evidenfly not quite so rich—in lands and lucre at least—as Trinity Church in New York, nor quite so aristocratic as Grace Church, in the same city.

A clergyman being complained of by another for drawing away his parishioners on Sunday, made this reply: "Feed your flock better, and they won't stray."

"Full many a flower is born to blush unseen."

And full many a flour is born never to blush or bloom at all; pale, sickley and stunned buds, lingering awhile upon the branch and dropping away with their destiny of sweetness and all unfulfilled.—Chilled by the harshness of their fate, growing on some spot of shade and gloom, nipped by an early frost, transplanted to an uncongenial clime, hidden away in some nook, or with some canker at the heart, they never arrive at the possession of their power of perfume and bloom. Yet who shall say what elements of fragrance, what capacity for beauty, lie unrecognized and undeveloped in these? Who shall say if they had shared the sunshine and the dew with the roses and carnations which have been the pride of the parterre, that they would not have rivalled them in rich excesses?

And so with human flowers. Many a life is blighted from its youth by the neglect of the world, the frost of poverty, the canker of care, and the dull, gloomy place in which fate willed its residence; many a young girl, depressed by circumstances, and denied the sunshine of love and admiration which should have called into soft and fragrant bloom all the nature which lay folded in coldness and reserve, has felt within her the possibility of being all that her more favored sisters were, but has seen her unexpended graces and traits of character drop away like the leaves of the budd which withers while opening. Many a nature as full of affection as the rose is of aroma, has been chilled by the atmosphere of indifference around it until it perished with its sweets shut up in its own bosom. Saddest of histories are those of possible and anticipated beauty and happiness which were never allowed to be.

CALIFORNIA ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY YEARS AGO.—The following description of this country, as it was a century and a half ago, is taken from the published transactions of the London Royal Society, from 1700 to 1720, and printed in the year 1731:

"California, the peninsula, has been known nearly two centuries. Its coasts are famous for pearl fisheries. Nor do I doubt that there are mines to be found in several places, if they were sought for, since the country is under the same degree as the provinces of Sinalca and Sonora, where there are very rich ores. Heaven has been so bountiful to the Californians that the earth brings forth of itself what it does not produce elsewhere without a great deal of labor and pains; yet they make no esteem of the plenty and riches of their country, contenting themselves with what is only necessary for life, and little care for the rest. Parts of the country are very populous. The people are lively, the climate is healthy. In the valleys, excellent pasture, at all times, for great and small cattle, fine springs, wild grape vines; as it abounds in fruit, it does no less in grain, of which there are fourteen sorts that the people feed on. They have plenty of red strawberries, which they eat plentifully. There citrons and watermelons are of an extraordinary size. Most plants bear fruit three times a year. We brought with us, from New Spain, Indian corn, wheat, peas, lentils, etc. We sowed them, and had a very plentiful increase, though we had no cattle, proper implements to till the ground. We brought some cows and a score of small cattle, such as sheep and goats, but our necessity compelled us to kill the greater part of them. We likewise brought with us horses and colts to stock the country, and we began to breed up hogs, but as these do a great deal of damage in the villages, and the women are afraid of them, we have resolved to extirpate them."

A CUTE WIDOW.—MRS. —— is a pretty widow of twenty-eight, left rich by her husband, a respectable and wealthy farmer, who judiciously died at the age of fifty.

B——, a sighing swain of twenty, fell in love with this charming widow during a school vacation, and was thereby distracted from study, and nearly frantic. His father, who 'designed him for the ministry,' had a peculiar horror of the sweet widow, whom he regarded as little better than one of the wicked. Her black eyes, her heaving bosom, and her elastic tread, were to him the symbols of old Nick. He was in despair; he visited the fair widow, and besought of her, if she had a particle of mercy, not to ruin his son.

In vain the widow protested that she had used no arts—had only seen the youth a few times, and was entirely indifferent to him;—the father still insisted, and the pretty widow promised that if the boy came again to see her it should be his last visit.

Not many days passed when the enamored youth made his arrangements for a visit, of which the widow had notice.

A few previous interviews between them had taken place under circumstances peculiarly favorable to romance and sentiment, upon moonlight walks, or parlor tete-a-tetes.

This time the timid youth was told upon his arrival that Mrs. —— was at the barn. Thither he went, and found his beau-ideal, with skirts knee high, dressed in man's boots, and covered with a man's hat, a pipe in her mouth, a mug of cider in her hand, superintending her men, killing hogs. He never came again—it was too killing.

That was a novel way the pretty widow took to cure her youthful lover of his ardent passion. We don't wonder that it cured him completely.

GOOD BUT USELESS.—If Cicero had too little character, Cato had too much. Public virtue is like gold, if it is to be current, it must be alloyed. Cato left the alloy out, and cared little whether his coin circulated or not; all he knew was, that its purity must never be tampered with, and that whoever would not receive it, as he tendered it, must be corrupt or criminal. He was a good orator, but his oratory was in vain; he was always ready with advice, but it was advice incapable of being put in practice; he was esteemed by all, but with an esteem that bore no fault. Inflexibly and almost savagely austere, he was one of those men whom posterity place in their Valhallas, but whom nations, unless for example's sake, deny admittance to their councils—the most irreproachable of virtuous men, but the most useless.

[*Lamartine's History of Cæsar.*

Mariposa Gazette.

INDEPENDENT IN ALL THINGS—NEUTRAL IN NOTHING.

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FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 1.

We are crowded with Advertisements, and until we can enlarge, we must ask our friends to regard with leniency the absence of reading matter.

Yesterday we learned of the hanging by the Vigilance Committee of Hetherington and Brace. May the Lord have mercy on their souls; and may a God of infinite justice have mercy upon the depravity and error existant in the human heart as exemplified in sufferers and executioners. We have known Hetherington since the spring of '52, at which time we were travellers together from New York to San Francisco, and have known him intimately since.—He was a passionate and a desperate man, and when roused, (which was easily done,) would stop at nothing. He shot Baldwin under aggravating circumstances in '53, for which, in the opinion of most, he should have been hung, but he escaped. Since the reign of the present Vigilance Committee, several papers, among which was the *Bulletin*, recommended Hetherington as a candidate for their favors; but he had never been arrested. The Committee were ready to arrest him, we have no doubt, upon the slightest provocation, of which he was aware; and thus, with a noose hanging over his head, he dared to do a deed for which he has been hung, and which fact he knew well, had he considered. But he thought of nothing but revenge and his pistol when he saw his enemy; so he met his fate; and there are many men in San Francisco, yea, very many, like him; and it is useless, and worse than useless, to talk about the Vigilance Committee as being an effective body for the redress or the prevention of outrages and criminalities which cannot but constantly occur. Disorder, licentiousness of action, of evil, effective to destroy, are so rooted that we almost despair of eradication. The landmarks of virtue, of integrity, socially and politically, are so obliterated that in thick darkness they may hereafter wander, not dividing or discerning good from evil.

The burning of Mr. Haskell's house on Saturday last will, it is hoped, awaken our citizens to the absolute necessity of organizing a fire company in this town. Materials of the right sort is not wanting.—Drill and discipline is all that is required to render twenty men more efficient in subduing a fire than one hundred can be without those advantages. Thus far nothing but the most surprising run of *good luck* has saved Mariposa from the fate of so many of her sister towns; but *luck* will change, and all those who witnessed the scene of confusion at the late fire must acknowledge the necessity for an immediate organization. The rapid descent and double summersault of Judge Burke's office was a convincing proof of the wild excitement which prevailed.

We sincerely regret Mr. Haskell's misfortune; yet it has served to bring out one of the brightest traits of human nature—*active*, manly sympathy.

A meeting of the carpenters of this place was held on the evening of the day of the fire, and measures taken for the immediate erection of a new and comfortable house, to be placed at the disposal of Mr. Haskell and family.

We give below the names of those carpenters who so promptly and nobly stepped forward on the occasion. We have heard that there were two exceptions to this friendly movement:

G. C. N. Johnson, C. J. Prescott, L. H. Coombs, *Committee;* J. R. McCready, Wm. M. Davis, Chas. S. Burke, S. Ashworth, J. Hilliard, Wm. R. Knight, Geo. W. Hanna, Geo. Cardwell, Jos. Phillips, Chas. Sturcke, J. C. Hopper, J. F. McNamara, T. R. Bixby, J. H. Stewart, A. J. Gregory, J. Gross, Wilhelm Fremder, Henry Rupert.

By a recent arrangement and improvement in our stages, we have daily communication with Stockton. A stage leaves the latter place on the arrival of the San Francisco boat, and reaches Hornitas the same evening, from which place a stage starts immediately, and arrives in Mariposa at 1½ P. M. The same stage starts from this place on its return for Hornitas, when on its arrival a stage will be in readiness to go into Stockton, arriving there early in the afternoon of the following day, and in time for the San Francisco boat.—For this arrangement we believe we are indebted to the well known enterprize of Hon. A. N. Fisher, proprietor of the line. We wish we could consider that he was justified by the amount of travel and prosperity of this county, thus to improve means of communication; but we can hardly see how Mr. Fisher can receive a corresponding remuneration. In the future he may receive his reward, but at present it looks dim and distant.

DEATH OF DR. RANDALL.—Dr. Andrew Randall, who was shot by Joseph Hetherington in the bar-room of the St. Nicholas hotel on the afternoon of Thursday last, died on Saturday morning, about nine o'clock and fifteen minutes.

We learn that the deceased had been, to all appearances, quite insensible to everything that was passing around him up to a few minutes previous to his death. He then revived, and appeared to recognize his wife, who had been constantly with him since the night previous.

Fire—A Warning.

For the twentieth time, and in an almost providential manner, Mariposa escaped being burned to the ground on Saturday last. It was a loud warning, that in an hour we think not of, we may share the fate of nine-tenths of the towns and mining camps in this county, some of which have been burned twice and thrice. Already this season have disastrous fires occurred in Marysville, Placerville, Auburn, Chinese Camp, and Nevada, and it must be apparent that we are at least equally exposed to be burned up and completely obliterated as were those, or are any other towns in California. Our town is a mass of combustibles, and should a fire once get a start, the inhabitants may look out for lodgings under trees, or select a soft place in the sand, for of habitations they will have none. As we have said, Mariposa has hitherto escaped fire, and we pray that she may escape, but we can but contemplate the chances, and reflect that she may yet, and *soon*, take her turn. And as yet a very general apathy seems to prevail with regard to this matter, and from which we fear the people will only be awakened by the glare of flames and conflagration. Our only chance is to subdue a fire at its commencement, and for this reason we should have an effective organization, equipped properly—ready to rush to the scene of danger. Of materials for a company, we have no lack; but we need organization and discipline. In June, 1854, a hook and ladder company was formed, and a handsome subscription was raised by residents for its equipment. The company organized in a measure, hooks and ladders were procured, and considerable enthusiasm manifested, but in a short time it weakened, and soon it was difficult to get together a corporal's guard of the company, and it finally ended in an inglorious fizzle, having in the hands of its treasurer two-thirds of the funds subscribed and paid into the company, and it is the first time in our lives that we have ever known an organization of this or any other kind to "let up" without having spent its money.

The recent fire is something like a pepper-corn under a dog's tail; it induces a forward movement; and we have been requested to call a meeting of the relicts of the original company, to take some *action*. Some of that highly respectable body are dead; some have left; but we hope to see assembled on Monday evening such of the *remnants*, and of our citizens as can be got together at the place, and for the purposes mentioned in the advertisement.

We did not arrive at home last week in time to say much in our paper, and some notices which would have appeared, did not, for this reason.

We would notice the departure of Mr. P. Hussey for the Atlantic States, on the steamer *Golden Age*, which sailed on the 21st. Mr. H. has been long and favorably known by this community as a merchant, and a man in whom was concentrated in an eminent degree those attributes which make up a desirable member of community. It is gratifying also to know that his energy and ability have met with rewards both in the regards of the people here and in pecuniary success. His stay will be short, and we shall sincerely welcome his return.

"If the Vigilance Committee once set Judge Terry at liberty, and he takes his seat with that corrupt vagabond, Judge Murray, on the Supreme Bench; and if Johnson, the weak and imbecile Governor, remain in the chair of State, with the blood-thirsty Howard, chief military commander, where will the Committee, and all honest and peaccable citizens find themselves within twelve month? Why, bound hand and foot, and crushed to the earth.

It is folly to *talk*. The Committee have only one of *two* courses to pursue, viz., either to make Terry resign and leave the State, or *hang him forthwith*.

The people are not going to be longer ruled by a few Texan desperadoes, such as Howard, Terry and Ashe, and other corrupt and desperate scoundrels.

MANY PEOPLE OF '49."

We clip the above elegant production (!) from the San Francisco *Bulletin*, a paper that we seldom notice. It will be seen that it is communicated for that paper by some miserable devil, pretending to represent the sentiments of many of the *forty-niners*, and the feeling expressed receives the endorsement of the editor of the scurrilous sheet in which it appears. But we apprehend a large majority of the "Many People of '49" repudiate all such sentiments.

Improvement of the roads is the special order of exercises of the day, and the people in this vicinity are being very generally exercised in support of the movement; that is to say, A. J. Gregory, Esq., our indefatigable road supervisor, is collecting three dollars of every male reprobate in this vicinity, and is appropriating it very judiciously upon roads, by hiring men, and superintending the work himself. We notice that great improvement has already been effected; much more remains to be done, and as far as means will allow, it will be done thoroughly.

COOL.—A San Francisco Vigilant paper solemnly warning *Uncle Sam* to mind his P's and Q's, or be prepared to meet the consequences!

The Yo Hamite House, formerly the Southern Hotel, has been opened the past week, and is in fine order for the reception and entertainment of the public.

Judge Baker, formerly Recorder of San Francisco, arrived in town on Wednseday. He is stopping at the Yo Hamite House.

We thank George Daws, Esq., for that big watermelon.

CORRESPONDENCE OF THE GAZETTE.

BONDVILLE, (Merced River,) *July 28th*, 1856.

Mr. Editor:—Since your return from the mob-ridden city of San Francisco, I am glad to find that the conduct of your *sub.*, in your absence, has not only been approved, but heartily endorsed; for I am fully convinced that this matter deeply concerns every man in the State.

The members of the Vigilance Committee may cry out against our action and interferance, and say "it is none of your business—we are able to manage our own affairs," and all that, but, sir, I contend that *it is our business*. Does not any infraction of the laws of our State concern us? It most assuredly does; and it needs no argument to prove that the every action of the Vigilance Committee has been in *violation of law*. Then there is the largest city of our State actually in a state of *revolution*. In it exist a mighty organization, propped up by thirty pieces of cannon, and more than six thousand bayonets, who will at one moment pretend to submit to the legal authorities, and will in the next set them at utter defiance. The voice of the highest officer of the State is no more to them than the blast of a nameless instrument, and yet we are told to hold still, that we have no right to speak or act in opposition to them.

Every good citizen of this State should feel it his duty to oppose them, heart and hand. A reaction we all know is taking place, but that reaction is not as strong or swift as it might and ought to be. If every true lover of his country would look at this thing aright, and knowing his duty would dare do it, an extinguisher would soon be put upon this *oligarchy*, and the stream which has for more than two months been overleaping its bounds, and laying waste our loved Constitution, would return to its original channel, and things would again become quiet; for I tell you that *public opinion* is the great drive-wheel of society—it moves all its machinery—let it become ungeared, and the last wheel of the great whole feels it; let it again be rectified, and all is harmony once more. Why, sir, look at its results in this affair of which we write; ministers of the gospel, who, of all others, should stand by the laws of their county, have been found bowing down to this lawless band, and crying amen to their rebellion against the State. "They have ceased," as a man remarked to me the other day, "to preach Jesus Christ and him crucified, and gone to preaching James King and him shot." Look at the majority of the presses of San Francisco, have they not been reversed with this mighty drive-wheel, and made to utter things contrary to all that they themselves have ever taught before; and for which they will yet shed many bitter tears when they shall begin to gather in the fruit of their doings? Let us, then, exert ourselves to rectify public opinion; and we should act at once, for no one can tell what will be the end of this matter.—Who thought, upon that quiet Sabbath morning, when those doomed men were led away from the San Francisco jail, that that city would to-day be ruled by that Committee mightily augmented, and making rapid strides towards *revolution?* and yet this is the case, and what may be the finale of this thing, God only knows.

I am not writing thus to excite the needless fears of the people; in fact I do not believe I am writing in as strong terms as the case demands. Look at the letter said by the editor of the *Morning Globe* to emanate from a "well known and responsible citizen of San Francisco," that appeared in that paper on the 23d inst. The author of that letter comes out with an unmasked front, and declares that "*the Vigilance Committee hold the civil and military power of the State, and they are bound to exercise those powers;* first, for the regeneration of the moral and political condition of the commonwealth; and, second, for their own personal safety; and "*the Committee constitute the only civil and military power in the State, and that power will never be yielded until a new Government is established under their direction.* The disaffected may say what they please, *but the naked, stubborn, unyielding fact is plain, that all parties, not only in San Francisco, but out of it, must submit to the will of the people, as expressed through the Committee.*"

Now, sir, has not this hideous monster made sufficient demonstrations to deserve a blow? They are reaching after power; they have had a *taste;* and nothing but unlimited power will satisfy them. Now shall we lie supinely upon ourbacks until we are bound hand and foot by these would-be reformers? I for one am unwilling to submit to any change in our present form of Government.

A LOVER OF HIS COUNTRY.

Miners are concentrating upon the rivers, in large numbers, as it is probable that they will be lower this season than at any time since gold was discovered, or this country known, to the greater portion of its present inhabitants. It is stated by old Californians and Indians that the Merced River has, during the dryest part of the season, been dry, comparitively no water running. This was the effect of a constant succession of hot summers and of winters in which little rain fell. We hope in mercy that this is not one of the seasons in such succession, which may end in drying up the rivers, and as a natural consequence every thing else, inhabitants included.

JAMES TORNEY has taken the Saloon formerly occupied by Harry Haskell and has christened it the "GEM." A good place to get Ice and anything else with it, for comforting the inner man this hot weather.

BONDVILLE, (Merced River,) *July 28th*, 1856.

Mr. Editor:—Having a leisure moment, I will write you a few things I hear and see on this gold stream of mercy. Well, now, our friend, "Bond's store," is where we miners of this vicinity come to buy our "grub," "swap a few white lies," take a "nip" if we like, (and we are very apt to like,) smoke a cigar or pipe, talk politics, abuse the Vigilance Committee, praise the *Gazette*, and wonder "what sort of looking hombre that Holmes is?" Those who know him speak of his many estimable qualities, his fair proportions—"a trump Editor," &c., &c. Others, who judge from his weekly *issues*, say "d—n it, boys, this is the paper for me"—"Independent in all things, neutral in nothing." "If he would show his face here some jolly Sunday, we would see if he is a good judge of whisky, and knows what God, in his infinite wisdom, put so many good things in this 'sphere' for."

All good Christians know that Sunday is the day of rest, and in the absence of a church, we make the most of it. We have to work hard six days, and on the seventh we have *much resting* to do—some, the more *pious*, borrow Saturday afternoon, and then trespass "slightually" on Monday, after having been resting under *full steam* all Sunday. This invention of steam was a grand discovery for the laboring man—how could he have refreshed himself for a weeks' labor in one day, but by steam? Many of the most laborious go under a *full head* of *steam* all day; time, forty knots to the hour; occasionally letting off the vapor (alias "gas,") by telling a yarn, singing a flash song, scaring a Chinaman, playing rondo, playing "rip" for "nips," or making themselves "seiz" in the cool waters of the river, as they come tumbling right from the Yo-Hamite, as if they, too, had caught the *spirit* of *resting*. After all, I have known but one boiler to burst; that occurred on an old hulk that had been too many years on *the waters*.—The engineer plied rather freely the combustible on the 4th; every body cautioned him, but he would "risk one eye." He was a knight of the anvil; he lost it, but it will strengthen the other for the next 4th. Excuse the allusion.

Oh! I can't tell you all I hear; come and show yourself, and hear the folks talk. I started to write about the miners and the mines, but I have so much to do with the former that my pen got its *steam* up and ran off on *them*, and has nearly consumed all my time, and it would make my letter too long, if I were to say much of the latter. The fact is when you know one you know the other; miners and mines are *all rich on rest days*. I will write you more about the mines soon.—Suffice at present to say, every body here are satisfied with them—they have a good thing, and don't wish to be crowded. As to mining, I am a novice, although I ought to be some on a drift, as I have been "drifting" on the surface of occasion all my life.

Politics are all one-sided down here—all National—no "higher law men;" no Vigilantes. There is no platform here for any but "old Buc," and young Tennessee.—Why did you not get the doctors to give the Democratic ratification meeting a dose to bring the *black comit* off their capacious stomachs? Do you believe in too many doctors? Yours, JEMMY.

P. S.—I will send you my other name if I write again. MIKE.

MARIPOSA, *July 27th*, 1856.

Mr. Editor:—We, the undersigned, citizens of this county, desire to say to the Governor of the State, through the columns of your paper, that we hold ourselves in readiness to respond to any call of his to go to San Francisco to aid in suppressing the present insurgents in that city known as the Vigilance Committee, and in re-establishing law and order in the State. We pledge our best exertions to raise from three to five hundred good men:

Thos. Payne, John Boling, Isaac G. Boyce, W. W. Ward, Wm. A. Rowntree, Wm. L. White, John H. Tatman, James R. Watson, Joseph Bryant, G. B. Abel, Leroy Vining, A. Powell, Wm. H. Powell, T. J. Farnsworth, John N. Moore, James McVicar, A. J. Gregory, James Parker, John Pate, J. P. Clark, T. J. Landrith, T. A. Long, D. D. Waters, Charles Mc Veagh, S. Gerard George, B. F. Northington, John McGrann, Wm. Ray, Wm. K. Simpson, John Barkeloo, Geo. Hanna, Geo. D. Bastable, D. Bitler, B. R. Phillips, James Goodwell, J. G. McCrovy, R. B. Lamon, Thos. Early, M. Barnet, Wm. Barnet, G. M. Barnet, John F. McNamara, Alfred F. Washburn, Houston Mann, A. J. Mann, J. W. Sherman, B. A. Dohs, C. H. Rose, M. Rolft, Jas. H. Armstrong, M. B. Hail, John Bird, Reuben Riggs, E. D. Steel, Robt. Middleton, Nat. Harbert, B. B. Harris, A. Hernman, John Gunn, David P. Nelson, John W. Brown, James M. Roane, W. L. Boling, Wm. J. Hooker, J. W. Quigly, Wm. C. Evans, E. Hoyer, Z. W. Moores, W. P. Wood, Jas. Bryson, Martin Butler, Patrick Noolan, Dennis Keeff, George McGrann, Thomas Walch, A. Stewart, David Rock, B. Wenger, J. Phillips, A. J. Scott, Charles Bruce, Wm. D. Bruce, A. O. Bruce, J. B. Bruce, P. Barnil, N. D. Whitmore, J. M. Malone, N. Aking, F. J. Earns, James F. Jinkins, Ths. Payne, J. S. Shilling, John L. Wilson, H. Fraher, R. B. Alondle, A. McAlister, J. C. Heflington, Thos. Rice, J. B. Reed, Wm. O'Donnel, Rodgers O'Donnel, Wm. Shmidt, Wm. Emery, Joseph Field, J. Collins, A. Spoling, J. Mantrer, A. Waid, G. Farnsworth, Ostin Orvi, George Franl, J F. Bowling, Wm. Smith, G. H. Crenshaw, A. H. Mullin, John Brannan, R. Brannan, R. C. Whitworth, Charles Allen, J. A. Shrevs, Andrew Jackson, Edwin Hurd, Horatio S. Woodhouse, S. C. Froklin, Wm. Garbere, Wm. Coruth, D. McDonold, W. F. Baire, John N. Caruth, Frederick Somner, John Gibbin, James Kelly, Andrew B. Hurd. J. E. Stone, Henry Levy, H. E. Wood, Francis Prince, Rufus A. Renfrow, Cyrus D. Forriss, J. H. Malone, J. L. Wood, C. P. Myers, David Hays, Wm. Dunn, G. F. Rice, Henry Burruss, James Hirdon.

Great Excitement in San Francisco!

We take the following important news from the Telegraphic despatch to the San *Joaquin Republican:*

MORE EXECUTIONS—HETHERINGTON AND BRACE HUNG BY THE VIGILANCE COMMITTEE.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 28th—7 P. M.

About two o'clock to-day the military companies of the Vigilance Committee commenced to proceed from the Committee room, and marched all around the neighboring blocks. At four o'clock five companies were stationed opposite the Committee rooms, three at the corner of Sacramento and Davis, and all corner streets leading to the locality were occupied by companies of Dragoons.

The general expectation was that 3 o'clock was the hour of execution, and at that hour every house-top having a view of Sacramento and Davis streets was covered, and every spot commanding a view. Fifteen thousand people witnessed the tragedy. The roofs of three houses in the vicinity fell through, precipitating all on top into the house; five were injured.

At 3 o'clock, carpenters commenced to erect scaffolds on Davis street, between Sacramento and Commercial. The dimensions ten feet square, with an upright beam, 7 feet above the scaffold. At 5:35 two carriages proceeded to the building, and Brace and Hetherington were conveyed into the rooms, and taken to the gallows.

Brace, assisted by two persons, ascended to the fatal platform. Hetherington refused all assistance, and though his arms were pinioned, he walked up the narrow stairway firmly, and with steady nerves. The prisoners then took their places on the trap door. When they reached the drop, each had on a light straw hat, but Brace's flew off, and his head was left exposed to the wind. An attendant untied the neck-cloth of Brace; Hetherington performed that office for himself. Brace acted like a drunken man, and declared that he *was* drunk. Hetherington to the last stood firm and spoke firmly. What he said was to this effect:

"You may, and probably do, think me a hardened criminal, but I am not. I have never lived a day at the end of which I was not willing to meet my Maker. I have not had a fair trial by the Vigilance Committee. In shooting Baldwin I acted in self-defence; I was acquitted, yet I find that act bears on my present position. In the difficulty with Randall, I only drew to defend myself. He drew his pistol, and I was oblized to draw mine in self-defense. I know I am about to be launched into eternity. I have had a long conversation with Bishop Kipp to-day on religious subjects; I am not afraid of Eternity. (Heterington was frequently interrupted by Brace, and it was impossible to follow him fully.) I forgive all my enemies. Lord have mercy on you, as I hope to be forgiven." These were his last words.

When Hetherington had got nearly through speaking, Brace said, to his companion: "Dry up, old fellow, you have talked long enough: don't keep me here any longer. Damn it, dry up." He died with an oath on his tongue.

The bell of the committee soon tolled, and Brace and Hetherington were launched into eternity. Neither suffered much. Brace scarcely moved; Hetherington moved but once. The bodies hung 35 minutes and were taken down by the Coroner.

ARRIVAL OF THE SONORA.

The P. M. S. S. Co's. steamer Sonora arrived last evening, says the S. J. *Republican*, at San Francisco, but owing to the fact that the Sacramento press obtained control of the telegraph, and retained it until a late hour, we are unable to give the full details of the news this morning, our despatches being exceedingly brief

The Sonora, R. L. Whiting, master, sailed from Panama, July 18th, with three hundred and eighty-five passengers.—She brings New York dates to 5th, and New Orleans to 6th inst.

Mr. Corwin, U. S. Commissioner, had nearly completed his investgation in relation to the massacre of the 15th April, and expected to leave for Washington by the next steamer. It is said he has made out a strong case for his government.

The health of the Isthmus was good, the railroad in excellent order, and affairs tranquil.

The United States sloop of war St. Mary's was at Panama. All well.

The U. S. Senate passed a bill reported by Senator Douglas for the admission of Kansas, after a protracted session of twenty hours.

On the same day the House passed a bill for the admission of kansas under the Topeka Free State construction.

Through the default of the agents, the interest on California bonds falling due in New Nork July 1st, were not paid.

ALL BOSH.—The following *tale of blood* has just been related to us, with a request that we should publish to the world the tragical affair:

It seems that the French butcher in this place purchased a cow, by weight, which "Bloody Nick" was in the act of dissecting, while the individual from whom it was purchased (also a Frenchman,) stood by to assure himself of "fair play" in the operation; when observing that the operator was about to economize by cutting off the head of the animal closer to the shoulders than was consistent with the Frenchman's views, he cried out, "*No bon! no bon!*" "Oh dry up," replied Nick, "the bloody thing's all bone!"

A DROP OF "LAGER."—Going down town, not long since, we descried in the distance a German acquaintance, who was evidently in pursuit of something, under "difficulties." He evinced a desire to take both sides of the street on his right hand, and "turn der blacksmit shop around, mit der jail on his left shoulder." It was of no use—he could'nt stem the current, and sagely concluded to come to an anchor, and wait for the ebb tide.

On our coming within hail, we accosted him, and inquired the cause of his trouble.

"Dunder," exclaimed he, "dis is not drouble, dis ish mine *born*-day, and I'm so drunk shust like fiddler's b——h."

In 1854 twenty-five millions of dollars were sunk in the ocean. In 1855, which was free of storms, the losses upon the ocean were fifteen millions of dollars, making an average of $40,000,000 for the two years past.

New Advertisements.

☞ THE MAILS for the Atlantic States and Europe, will close at the Mariposa Post Office, THIS DAY, (Friday,) at 12 M. J. F. MCNAMARA, P. M.

Hook and Ladder Company, ATTENTION!

THE members of the Mariposa Hook and Ladder Company, and all subscribers to the Fire Fund raised two years since, are requested to meet at McNamara & Crippen's Saloon, on MONDAY evening next, for the purpose of disposing of said fund.
By Order, J. C. HOPPER, Sec'y.

Administrator's Sale.

BY virtue of an Order made by the Probate Court of Mariposa County, I will sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder, at the Court House of the County aforesaid, all the real estate belonging to the estate of Cader Powell deceased, consisting of the following property, to wit: The deceased's right, title and interest in and to five Quartz Veins, situated in the vicinity of Coulterville, in the County aforesaid, and are or have been known by the following names: Margarette, Kings, Melvene, Louisa and Virginia veins. ALSO—One large Lot of Ground, on which is a fine New and Commodious Dwelling House, Bath and other Out Houses, situated and fronting on the Main Street, in the village of Coulterville. Said lot and buildings are neatly enclosed by a well finished and substantial fence, and is the same property owned and occupied by the deceased as his dwelling house and place of business. Said Sale will take place at the Court House door in the County aforesaid, on Saturday, the 23d day of August 1856, at 3 o'clock, P. M. Terms of Sale are, one third Cash in hand, at the time of Sale; the balance a credit of four months will be given, secured by a Mortgage on the property.
GARDNER GREEN,
Public Administrator of Mariposa County.
Mariposa, August 1, 1856. a1s4

REMOVAL.

B. OPPENHEIM & CO.
HAVE REMOVED TO
THEIR NEW BUILDING
ONE DOOR BELOW SMITH'S BEER MARKET.

WE wish to inform our friends and the public in general that we have a very fine and complete assortment of
CLOTHING, FANCY AND STAPLE
DRY GOODS,
on hand, and will continually keep a large assortment of
Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Trunks, Valises, &c. &c.,
☞ All of which we will Sell at the LOWEST RATES.
Ladies going out shopping should call and examine our NEW STOCK OF SILKS AND EMBROIDERIES, lately received.
Gentlemen, dont forget to see the YO HAMITE HATS at the New Orleans Store.
B. OPPENHEIM & CO.
Mariposa, Aug. 1, 1856. aug1tf

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S LINE.
FOR N. YORK AND NEW ORLEANS,
VIA PANAMA.
DEPARTURE FROM VALLEJO STREET WHARF.

The favorite Steamship
SONORA,
R. L. WHITING, Commander.
Will leave Vallejo Street Wharf with the U. States Mails, Passengers and Treasure, For PANAMA, ON TUESDAY.....AUGUST 5, 1856,
AT 9 O'CLOCK, A. M.
Passengers by this Line are landed on their arrival at Panama upon the Wharf at the railroad terminus, by the Company's Steam Ferry Boat, and proceed immediately
By Railroad Across the Isthmus to Aspinwall.
Where there is always a Steamer waiting their arrival.
According to arrangements now completed, Passengers arriving at Panama in the morning, invariably leave Aspinwall for New York and New Orleans in the afternoon of the same day, thus affording Regularity in the through trip a safe, pleasant and expeditious Transit from Ocean to Ocean.
THROUGH TICKETS
Are furnished, including the transit of the Isthmus.
☞ Treasure for shipment will be received on board the Steamer, until 12 o'clock, midnight, MONDAY, August 4th.
☞ No Merchandize freight will be received on board after 3 P. M., 4th inst., and a written order must be procured at the Company's office for its shipment.
For freight or passage, apply to
FORBES & BABCOCK, Agents,
Corner of Sacramento and Leidesdorff sts.
A choice of berths on the Atlantic steamers is secured by the early purchase of tickets in San Francisco.
☞ The SONORA will be succeeded by the J. L. STEPHENS, to sail August 20th. aug 1 tf.

Clocks, Watches, Jewelry and SILVER WARE.
J. & C. LING,
El Dorado St., Under Odd Fellow's Hall,
STOCKTON.
HAVING AGAIN REPLENISHED THEIR STOCK now offer to the citizens of Stockton and Vicinity, a superior selection of Goods in their line, consisting in part of
Heavy Gold Magic and Hunting Cased Patent Lever Watches.
Ladies' Superior Gold Hunting Cased and Enamelled Cased Detached Lever and Lepine Watches.
Heavy Silver Hunting Cased Patent and Detached Lever Watches, of the best manufacture.
Diamond Ear Rings and Drops.
Diamond Breast Pins and Finger Rings.
Ladies' Chatelaines, Necklaces, Bracelets, Ear Rings, Brooches and Lockets, of the latest patterns and finest quality.
California Bear, Buckles, Cane Heads, &c., of our own manufacture, of every style.
ALSO—A large assortment of finest quality New York made work, Gold Guard, Vest and Fob Chains, Keys, Seals, Spectacles, Thimbles, Pencils Pens, &c.
Silver Spoons, Forks, Butter Knives, Napkin Rings, Fish Knives, Card Cases, Thimbles, &c., all warranted equal to coin.
Plated Spoons, Forks, Butter Knives &c., of a very superior quality.
A large assortment of 15 Day, 8 Day and 30 hour Clocks.
Accordeons, Flutenas, Violin Strings, &c.
All our Goods we will sell at as low prices as the same quality of Goods can be purchased any where in the State.
☞ Clocks, Watches and Jewelry repaired by the most competent workmen.
☞ Diamond and California work made to order. aug1-tf.

EAGLE HOTEL!
EAST SIDE OF THE PUBLIC SQUARE CORNER OF SAN JOAQUIN AND MAIN STREETS,
STOCKTON.
THIS HOTEL, FOR CONVENIENCES OF every description, is unsurpassed in Stockton, having recently been REFITTED AND REFURNISHED. Customers and Boarders, whether transient or permanent, and families may be assured of good accommodations, and polite attention from all concerned with the House.
C. A. MEAD, Proprietor.
Stockton, July 30, 1856. aug1tf.

D. J. SULLAHAN
FREIGHTER AND FORWARDER,
Levee Street, Stockton.
ALL GOODS consigned to my care will be forwarded to their destination in any part of the Southern Mines, with despatch and correctness, at the lowest rates of freight, free of commissions or other extra charges aug1 tf
N. B. Storage in a fire-proof building when required, FREE OF CHARGE. Good reference given.

GENTLEMEN VISITING SAN FRANCISCO WILL do well to call at the Clothing Establishment of J. C. EDDY & Co., South East Corner Sansome and Commercial Streets, where they will find the Largest and best selected Stock of Clothing, Hats, Caps and Furnishing Goods this side the Rocky Mountains, and at prices to suit the times.
☞ Do not forget the place—OPPOSITE THE ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL. aug1-6m.

GEORGE E. GARDNER,
BOOKS AND STATIONERY,
Periodical and Newspaper Depot.
PACIFIC EXPRESS BUILDING, CHARLES STREET,
MARIPOSA.

Mariposa Gazette.

LATER FROM AUSTRALIA.—By the arrival of the Jane A. Falkinburg, says the S. F. *Herald* 27th inst., we have dates from Sydney to May 21st. Among the passengers we recognized the name of the celebrated Lola Montes. The papers contain no news of importance.

TRIUMPH OF THE POPULAR CAUSE.—The triumph of the popular cause, says the *Argus*, in the late election for the metropolis excited the most malevolent feelings in a portion of those who supported the defeated candidates. Allegations of corruption were made, entierly unsupported by facts, and three persons catching the spirit of unscrupulosity which animated Mr. Plunkett, lodged with the government a petition against the election. After the lapse of some weeks, and much vain boasting, the petition has been withdrawn, just when the Legislature which was to enquire into the matter of its grievance was about to assemble.

PUBLIC AFFAIRS.—The state of public affairs, says the *Argus*, is admittedly one of much embarrassment. The colony, it is stated, is fully £1,800,000 in bebt, and the revenue upon its present basis is entirely inadequate to the exigencies of government. It is therefore pretty certain that new means of taxation must be devised; probably a property or income tax.

UP-HILL WORK.—The Vigilance Committee emissaries who are sent from here into the interior, to manufacture public opinion, and write back letters to the mob organs of this city, that no reaction of public sentiment has taken place in regard to the Committee, find it an up-hill business, so decidedly and generally do the people of the interior condemn the mobites. In many of the counties, these emissaries find it convenient to leave in a hurry, to escape a coat of tar and feathers, or a summary suspension from the branches of an oak tree—a fit reception for all such doers of the dirty work of the traitors here.—*S. F. Sun.*

By the ancient laws of Spain, if a woman could prove her husband to have been thrice drunk, she might plead for a divorce from him.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN to the members of the American Party, that a Meeting of the County Council of Mariposa County, will be held on SATURDAY, THE NINTH DAY OF AUGUST, 1856, at Mariposa, for the transaction of important business. All Subordinate Councils in the County, and each election precinct where there is no Council, will send one Delegate, and for each one hundred votes, or fraction of over twenty-five, they will send one additional Delegate. The number of votes polled at the last election will be considered the basis.

By order of the County Council.

A. F. WASABURN, President.

M. S. MILLER, Secretary. 1d

HENRY C. WORTHINGTON,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,

Office in Fremont's Adobe Building, Corner of Charles and Fifth Streets, opposite Post Office, Mariposa, California. jy18tf

A. M. GILLMAN, & CO.,

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

WINES AN9 LIQUORS,

No. 82, Front Street, near corner of Clay Street,

SAN FRANCISCO.

E. E. PUGGLES, late of the firm of Puggles & Nudd, Stockton, may be found at the above place.

San Francisco, July 29, 1856. jy25tf.

J. M. Strowbridge & Co.,

DEALERS IN

CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS, AND

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods.

No. 95, Corner of Sansome and Commercial Streets,

SAN FRANCISCO.

Lumber at Millville.

WE WISH TO SELL

500,000 FEET OF LUMBER.

As Low as it can be Bought in this County, at our

STEAM SAW-MILL.

NEAR THE HEAD OF SHERLOCK'S CREEK, only 2¾ miles from the Stage Road, over the best Mountain Road in the County.

ALL DIMENSIONS AND THE BEST QUALITY OF LUMBER furbished to order, at short notice, at the Mill, or at any point in the county where wagons can go, at the lowest rates, according to quality.

☞ OLD AND NEW FRIENDS, CALL AND SEE US. Terms—Cash, or Barley and Hay at Cash prices.

WHITE, HATCH & CO.

By G. GREEN, Agent.

Millville, July 25, 1856. jy25tf

LUMBER

..AT..

REDUCED PRICES!

J. C. LAMON & CO.,

BEAR CREEK,

HAVE ON HAND AT THEIR MILL, FOUR miles from Mariposa, a large lot of Assorted and Seasoned Lumber, which will be sold according to quality and quantity, at prices varying from

FIFTEEN TO THIRTY DOLLARS

PER THOUSAND.

Orders are respectfully solicited, but it must be distinctly understood that credit cannot be given. We have determined to adopt the CASH system, and sell on the most reasonable terms.

Bear Creek, July 25, 1856. jy25-tf

4000 QR. SACKS OREGON FLOUR;
80,000 pounds No. 1 China Rice;
27,000 pounds No. 2 China Rice.
124 bbls Stuart's crushed sugar.
20,350 lbs No 1 China Sugar;
78 firkins choice family Butter;
15 bbls Billings' Hams;
12 bbls dry salt hams;
75 sacks Java Coffee;
75 cases Rio Coffee;
50 cases ground Coffee;
40 chests black Tea;
50 chests green Tea;
10 chests choice family Tea;
128 cases Claret, assorted brands;
75 cases superior Absenthe;
75 kegs East Boston Syrup;
12 cases Mary's own Tobacco;
10 cases Neptune Tobacco;
5 cases Know Nothing Tobacco;
10 cases Pride of the West;
20 cases ace of trumps;
40 bbls good old Whiskey;
27 8th cask Hennessy Brandy;
16 8th cask Otard, Dupuy & Co. do
6500 Havana and American Segars;

Just received and for sale by

SULLIVAN & CO.

Mariposa, July 18, 1856. jy18tf

NOTICE TO TRAVELERS.

NEW ROAD!

THE undersigned respectfully announces to the traveling public, that his NEW ROAD, CUTTING OFF DISTANCE, ON THE MARIPOSA AND STOCKTON ROAD—running in a straight direction from Cunningham's old Ranch, down Green's gulch, crossing Bear creek, and intersecting Dr. Burkhalter's Road, near the Cow and Calf ranch. This road CUTS OFF ONE MILE OR UPWARDS, of distance, and gives the traveler an opportunity of passing over a good level and smooth road—and cutting off one of the worst portions of the road between Mariposa and Stockton. The subscriber respectfully solicits the patronage of the traveling public.

DAVID CUNNINGHAM.

Green's Gulch, July 18, 1856. jy18-1m

Legal Notices, etc.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of an Execution to me directed, issued out of the District Court of the Thirteenth Judicial District, held in and for the County of Mariposa, against J. E. Giles, and in favor of James Shimer for the sum of three hundred and seventy-six dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum, from the 9th day of June, 1856, until paid. I have this day seized, and shall expose to sale at Public Auction, at the Court House door, in the town of Mariposa, on Saturday the 9th day of August, A. D. 1856, all of the right title and interest of the said Giles, in and to the following property, viz: A certain Ranch, situated on the waters of the North Fork of the Merced, and about six miles from the village of Coulterville, and two miles from the Mountain Ranch. Also, a certain piece or parcel of ground situated on Maxwell's creek, and Eastwardly, of and adjacent to the town of Coulterville, in said County, the same being used and occupied as a Garden, together with all and singular, the tenements and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or so much thereof as will satisfy the Plaintiff in his demand, and costs of suit.

THOMAS EARLY, Sheriff.

By JOHN N. MOORE, Under Sheriff.

Mariposa, July 19, 1856. jy26 3t.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA—COUNTY OF MARIPOSA.—MARY F. McLANE *vs.* HUGH McLANE.

Action brought in the District Court of the 13th Judicial District, and the complaint filed in the County of Mariposa, in the office of the Clerk of said District Court.

The People of the State of California send Greeting to Hugh McLane:

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named Plaintiff, in the District Court of the 13th Judicial District, in and for the County of Mariposa, to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within this county—or if served out of this County and in the District within twenty days—or if served out of the District then within forty days; or judgment by default will be taken against you.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony, for certain causes set forth in the complaint in this action; and if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as above required, the said Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein.

Witness: Hon. E. Burke, Judge of the 13th Judicial District. Attest: Wm. A. Guard, Clerk, with the seal of said Court affixed, on the 23d day of June, A. D. 1856.

(SEAL.) W. A. GUARD, Clerk.

S. A. MERRITT, Plaintiff's Att'y. } je27 3m.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA—COUNTY OF MARIPOSA.—JOHN BYE, Plaintiff, *vs.* ANN M. BYE, Defendant.

Action brought in the District Court of the 13th Judicial District, and the complaint filed in the County of Mariposa, in the office of the Clerk of said District Court.

The People of the State of California send Greeting to Ann M. Bye:

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named Plaintiff, in the District Court of the 13th Judicial District, in and for the County of Mariposa, to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within this County—or if served out of this County, then within forty days; or judgment by default will be taken against you.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony, for certain causes set forth in the complaint in this action; and if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as above required, the said Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein.

Witness: Hon. E. Burke, Judge of the 13th Judicial District. Attest: W. A. Guard, Clerk, with the seal of said Court affixed on this, 14th day of March, 1856.

(SEAL.) W. A. GUARD, Clerk.
By A. GUARD, Deputy.

S. A. MERRITT, Plaintiff's Att'y. } m21-3m

To the Holders of Mariposa County Bonds.

SEALED PROPOSALS for the redemption of County Bonds, will be received at the office of the undersigned, up to the FIRST DAY OF AUGUST, 1856. At which time and place, at the hour of 2 o'clock, P. M., said proposals will be opened, and the person or persons, offering to surrender Bonds at the lowest rates, (not over par value,) will be awarded the sum of one thousand two hundred and forty two dollars, (in gold dust, at seventeen dollars per ounce. That amount being in the Sinking Fund, for the redemption of county Bonds, as provided in Sec. 13, of the "Act to fund the debt of Mariposa county."

WM. A. KING, County Treasurer.

Treasurer's Office, Mariposa, July 11, 1856. } jy18-2t

Mariposa County Warrants Redeemable.

THE undersigned is now ready to redeem the FEBRUARY INDORSEMENTS of Mariposa County Warrants—there being two thousand dollars in the County General Fund for that purpose.

WM. A. KING, County Treasurer.

Treasurer's Office, Mariposa, July 12, 1856. } jy18-2t

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE Copartnership heretofore existing between David Clark, James C. Lamon, A. R. Manley and R. B. Lamon, under the name of Clark, Lamon & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—James C. Lamon, R. B. Lamon and David Clark have assumed the Copartnership liabilities of the late firm, and will hereafter conduct the business in the name of J. C. Lamon & Co. R. B. Lamon is alone authorized to collect the accounts due the firm of Clark, Lamon & Co.

DAVID CLARK,
J. C. LAMON,
A. R. MANLEY,
R. B. LAMON.

Bear Creek, July 14, 1856. jy18tf

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to Clark, Lamon & Co., are hereby notified that the due bills, notes and accounts of said Company have been placed in the hands of the subscriber for collection, and that a prompt settlement of all notes and accounts now due, is most earnestly desired.

R. B. LAMON.

Bear Creek, July 18th, 1856. jy18tf

NOTICE.

THE public are respectfully informed that I have given to Mr. H. DIMOND Power of Attorney to act as my legally authorized Agent, during my absence from Mariposa and from the State. He is authorized to settle all accounts due me, as well as the accounts due the firm of Dimond & Co.

P. HUSSEY.

Mariposa, July 12, 1856. jy18tf

C. F. MACDERMOT, C. KERRINS. D. BRIEN.

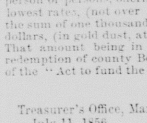
Main Street, Mariposa, and Saxton's Creek,

Have recently associated together as a trading firm, under the name of

MacDERMOT & CO.,

FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONDUCTING A

Wholesale and Retail Business in Groceries and Provisions,



SUPERIOR OLD

Wines & Liquors,

of the choicest brands;
HAVANA AND AMERICAN CIGARS,

Clothing, Boots and Shoes;

DUCKS DRILLS AND BLANKETS;

MINING TOOLS, &c.,

AND A GENERAL

ASSORTMENT OF HARDWARE.

We would respectfully inform our friends and the public, that one of the firm will remain constantly in San Francisco, for the purpose of purchasing and forwarding goods, and by this arrangement we will be enabled to sell goods AS LOW AS ANY OTHER HOUSE in the Southern Mines—FOR CASH.

☞ QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS. ☜

Call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

Mariposa, July 4, 1856. jy4-tf

Reduction of the Price of Lumber to $40.

BILLS FILLED TO ORDER!

MR. STUART has on hand a large and well selected assortment of

Sugar Pine Lumber!

Of the following thickness: ½ inch ¾ inch, 1 inch, 1¼ inch, 1½ and 2 inches, suitable for DOORS and SASH.

Also, a general assortment of COMMON LUMBER.

CABINET MAKING.—In connection with his Carpenter's Shop, he has a superior Cabinet Maker employed, who will repair or manufacture Furniture to order.

Mariposa, July 16, 1856. jy16tf

Miscellaneous.

TO THE PUBLIC!

YOUR ATTENTION IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED TO THE PRESENT PRICES OF GOODS, NOW SELLING BY

SULLIVAN & CO.,

Main Street, Mariposa.

WE have recently opened a branch of our house in SAN FRANCISCO, through which we now receive our supplies direct from

New York and Boston.

By this arrangement we are enabled to sell you goods at

SAN FRANCISCO COST,

Freight added. We would respectfully solicit you to give us a call, and examine our STOCK and PRICES, previous to purchasing elsewhere, as we are determined to sell (FOR CASH) LOWER than any other House in this section of country.

P. S.—All orders entrusted to us, will be promptly attended to, and weights and measures guaranteed correct.

The same advantages are to be had at our Store at

COULTERSVILLE,

Maxwell's Creek.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

Howard Medical Institute,

118 Sacramento Street, next door to the Pacific Mail S. S. Office, over Wines & Co.'s Express Office,

SAN FRANCISCO.

Rooms, Nos. 1. 2 & 3.

THIS INSTITUTION IS FOUNDED FOR THE cure of Syphilitic and Scrofulous complaints, and all affections of the Genital Organs of whatever nature. Instituted for the express purpose of treating private maladies at the instance of many medical gentlemen who have seen with pain the impositions practiced heretofore upon those who have been the victims of lying advertisements—those connected with it are to pursue to a certain extent this means of introducing it to public notice.

Those applying for advice will find constantly in attendence medical ability of undisputed skill in this class of complaints, and will be dealt with in the most honorable and strait forward manner.

For the purpose of securing privacy to the most delicate, several apartments are so arranged that patients will be brought in contact with none, but the office Physician.

Those applying to this Institute will find the charges reasonable, and treatment superior. Ladies and gentlemen who desire to become patients without calling at the rooms of the Institute, can be attended at thier residences.

Communications from all parts of the country will be attended to with promptness, and medicines sent if desired, by encloseng a fee of ten dollars.

No efforts will be spared to make the Howard Medical Institute what it purports to be, a philanthropic Institute.

Consultations in English, French, Spanish and German.

Office hours from 9 A. M. till 9 P. M. Address Howard Medical Institute, 118 Sacramento st., San Francisco. Office Physician, DR. R. MCCAFFREY.

San Francisco, July 22d. jy25-tf

☞ A TESTIMONIAL RICHLY MERITED.—The ingratitude of man to his fellow man is so often met with in life, that testimonials, prompted by the finer feelings of the heart, are oasis in the life of those who sacrifice their best days in philanthropic devotion to the alleviation of the ills of frail mortality. Empiricism floods the columns of our press with fraudulent and fictitious letters; singing peans to the worth of their own egotistical charlatanism. Below we append a letter from a worthy man, who, a brief period since, seemed destined to "shuffle off this mortal coil;" who looked forward to his dissolution with that pleasure which only those weighed down by the heavy hand of disease can. Contrary to hope, the ability of a skillful physician has restored him to his former health. Relieved from his terrible situation, and impelled by gratitude, he makes known his case and remedial agent, and his statement is authenticated by a Notary Public. The demands of society imperiously command its publicity; and it is given more to warn the unwary than to sound the praises of a physician of whom scores of like cases can be cited:

CERTIFICATE.

The undersigned, desirous of acquainting those who may be unfortunate enough to be similarly afflicted, where a permanent relief of their sufferings may be obtained, feels it his duty to thus publicly express his most sincere gratitude to Dr. L. J. Czapkay for the permanent recovery of his health. Borne down by the distressing symptoms incident to the vicious practice of uncontrollable passion in youth; depressed in body and mind; unable to perform even the most trifling duties required in the daily avocations of life, I sought the advice of many physicians, who at first regarded my disease of trifling importance—but alas! after a few weeks, and in several instances months, of their treatment, I found to my unutterable horror, that instead of relief, the symptoms became more alarming in their torture; and being told by one that my disease being principally confined to the brain, medicines would be of little consequence, I despaired of ever regaining my health, strength and energy; and as a last resort and with but a faint hope, called upon Dr. Czapkay, who after examining my case, prescribed some medicine which almost instantly relieved me of the dull pain and dizziness in my head. Encouraged by this result, I resolved to place myself immediately under his care, and by a strict obedience to all his directions and advice, my head became clear, my ideas collected; the constant pain in my back and groins; the weakness of my limbs; the nervous reaction of my whole body on the slightest alarm or excitement; the misanthropy and evil forebodings; the self distrust and want of confidence in others, the incapability to study, and want of resolution; the frightful, exciting, and at times pleasurable dreams at night, followed by involuntary discharges, have all disappeared; and in fact, in two months after having consulted the Doctor, I felt as if inspired by a new life—that life which but a short time ago I contemplated to end by my own hand.

With a view to guard the unfortunate from falling into the snares of incompetent quacks, I deem it my duty to offer this testimony to the merit and skill of Dr. Czapkay, and recommend him to all who may stand in need of medical advice, being assured, by my own experience, that under his care a radical and permanent cure will be effected. B. F. FILLMORE.

State of California, County of San Francisco. Subscribed and sworn before me, this 17th day of April, 1856. (Signed) JOHN MIDDLETON, [L. S.]

Notary Public.

☞ Dr. L. J. CZAPKAY'S Medical and Surgical Institute is at the corner of Montgomery and Sacramento streets, San Francisco, California. The Doctor offers free consultation, and asks no remuneration unless he effects a cure. je12-3m

☞ A BRIGHT STREAK OF GRATITUDE.—The following appeared some months since in the San Francisco Citizen, without the knowledge of Dr. Young. We copy it as a complimentary tribute to one of the most skillful physicians that ever made this State his residence. As it was entirely unsolicited, and made public without the knowledge of any one but the writer, it speaks volumes. It should be cut out and pinned up, for reference to any one who should unfortunately be similarly situated:

"*To my afflicted Fellow Men*—Being about to leave the State of California for my home in Michigan, I wish before leaving to recommend to your notice that great benefactor, DR. J. C. YOUNG. I was on the very brink of the grave, when he stretched forth his hand and saved me from death. For several years I had been troubled with a complication of diseases, brought on by bad habits, aggravated by exposure in the mines, which had so weakened my system and undermined my constitution, that I have often contemplated suicide. Borne down by racking pain in my body, dizziness in my head, sore eyes, pains and misery in my back and hips, weariness in my legs, evil forebodings, together with a confirmed melancholy, I considered my best friends to be my worst enemies; my dreams were frightful, and at times strange phantasies took complete possession of my mind. I was fast hurrying to insanity—that worst of living deaths. In this state a friend and partner in the mining business approached me on the subject, and advised me to go to the Bay and see DR. YOUNG! I did so, and thank God for it. DR. YOUNG examined my case, and told me he could cure me. Shortly after I commenced taking his medicines my troubles began to decrease, and in three months I was perfectly well. Take my advice, all you that are afflicted, and call upon him, for he will be sure to cure you. He has cured several of my acquaintances, after they had become discouraged by being deceived by the humbugs of the day, both by American and foreign vagabonds. My heart leaps towards him with gratitude for his benefits to me.

m21-tf CHAS. F. MANROE.

Miscellaneous.

JAS. M. VANDYKE,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

French Wines and Liquors,

☞ NEARLY OPPOSITE SOUTHERN HOTEL, ☜

MARIPOSA.

Has constantly on hand a large assortment of

PURE OLD FRENCH,

And other

Brandies, Wines; Ale, Porter,

And other Liquors.

HAVANA AND AMERICAN CIGARS,

Of the Choicest Brands;

All of which being selected with great care in San Francisco, will be found superior to any in market.

☞ The attention of the Medical Profession is called to his stock of FINE OLD COGNAC, PORT and SHERRY WINES, in bottles—an excellent article for invalids.

☞ Retail Dealers, and lovers of Good Liquors, are invited to call and examine for themselves. ap11-tf

LADIES' AND GENTLEMENS'

FURNISHING STORE.

GUARD & CO.

HAVE RECENTLY ESTABLISHED THEMSELVES IN A

NEW STORE,

At the Head of Main Street, opposite Methodist Church.

THEIR STOCK IS NEW AND FASHIONABLE, Selected with reference to the tastes and wants of this market, and at

☞ PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES. ☜

Call and examine for yourselves before purchasing elsewhere. jy18-tf

REMOVAL.

JANSON, BOND & CO.,

Importers and Jobbers of

Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods,

HAVE removed their stock to 95 BATTERY, cor. CLAY STREET, where they will be happy to wait on their friends. They have in store and constantly arriving—

India, Dwight, Stark & Salmon Fall Brown Drills;
Appleton, Howard, Nashua Extra and Utica Brown Sheetings;
Laconia, Amoskeag's and other Blea. Drills;
7-8, 4-4, 6-4, 8-4 and 10-4 Blea. Sheetings, various brands;
Thorndike, Lehigh, Monawk and other Ticklngs;
Jewett City, Webster and Lancaster Denims;
Keystone, Jewitt City and Oetmora Stripes;
Merrimac, Cochero, Conestoga and Allen's Prints;
Blue and Orange, Blue and White, Green and Orange Prints;
Cotton Duck, various brands, from No. 000 to 10;
Methuen, Howard, Bear and Potomac Raven Ducks;
Cambricks, Checks, Cottonades and Jeans;
Ginghams, Lawns, Clintz and other Dress Goods;
Flannels, Cassimeres, Coatings and Linens;
Cotton Hose, Socks, Shirts, Overalls;
White, Blue and Scarlet Blankets, Satinets, Kentucky Jeans, &c.

And a large and well assorted stock of MISCELLANEOUS DRY GOODS, which they offer low and on the most advantageous terms.

☞ AT THEIR NEW STAND,

95 Battery street, cor. Clay, San Francisco. m9-3m

PAINTS, OILS,

Window Glass, Varnishes, Brushes, etc.

STORY, BRO. & CO.,

HAVE for sale at 105 and 107 Clay street, San Francisco.

Boiled and Raw Linseed Oil, in cases and bbls;
Spirits Turpentine, in cases;
Atlantic Lead, in assorted packages;
French and German Window Glass, assorted sizes;
French and Eng. heavy Plate Glass, 12x18 to 30x44.

EX "BREWSTER" AND "FAIR WIND."

Tieman's Oil Colors, assorted cans;
Tieman's Water Colors, assorted cans;
Tieman's Dry Colors, for scene and carriage painters;
Tieman's Putty, in bladders;
Tilden & Nephew's, Smith & Stratton's, Kimball's, and other Coach and Furniture Varnishes, Paris White, etc.

BRUSHES—EX "HOLLANDER."

Adams' O. K. and Ex. Paint, Whitewash, Sluice, Counter, Patent Scrub, Napoleon, Horse and Hotel Boot Brushes; also, Lyon's Tooland Feather Dusters, Artist Tube Colors and Materials.

VARNISHES—EX "FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE."

Direct Importation from London.

The attention of Coach Painters is called to Noble & Hoare's celebrated English Hard Drying, Wearing Body and Elastic Carriage Varnishes.

JAPAN AND JAPANNERS' GOLD SIZE.

Plain and Ornamental, Stained and Enameled Glass. m9-3m

GREAT REDUCTION

.... AT ....

Cohen, Samuels & Co's.

THE public are informed that from this date their entire stock is offered at a REDUCTION OF TWENTY FIVE PER CENT from former prices—in order that they may remove their New Fire-Proof Store with greater facility—and also, that they may be enabled to furnish their New Store throughout with a FRESH STOCK OF GOODS. The large lot of

DRY GOODS,

Ready Made Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, &c. &c.,

and everything in their line will positively be sold at

☞ A REDUCTION OF TWENTY FIVE PER CENT BELOW FORMER PRICES. ☜

The public are respectfully invited to call and examine C. S. & CO.

Mariposa, June 27, 1856. je27-tf

CLOTHING WAREHOUSE.

Wm. G. Badger,

No. 109 Battery Street,

Corner of Merchant,

SAN FRANCISCO,

IMPORTER OF EVERY VARIETY OF CLOTHING AND FURNISHING GOODS. Also of BLANKETS, DUCKS, DRILLS, SHEETINGS, HATS, CAPS, BOOTS AND BROGANS.

BY RECENT ARRIVALS have received very large invoices of the most

Desirable Styles of Clothing!

And it is the LARGEST STOCK ever offered in this market. The Goods are manufactured under my own supervision; are of the best material, well cut, large sizes, and made in the most durable manner.

Traders from the Country

Are invited to examine this HEAVY STOCK, and they will find the prices LOWER than they can be found elsewhere in the market.

Purchasers may rely on receiving the best and most saleable Goods, as each article is guaranteed.

☞ Orders from the country promptly and carefully attended to.

10,000 pairs assorted Fancy Cassimere Pants;
10,000 pairs do do and plain Satinet Pants;
7,000 pairs Linen Pants;
2,000 pairs Goodyear's Rubber Pants;
1,000 Goodyear's white Rubber Coats;
200 es. Goodyear's long and short Rubber Boots;
200 es. Miners' Boots;
1,000 doz super Flannel Overshirts;
200 doz fancy Cassimere Overshirts;
1,000 doz White Shirts;
650 doz heavy Hickory Shirts;
500 doz heavy Check Shirts;
300 doz Merrimac Shirts;
600 doz Lambswool Undershirts;
300 doz Regatta Undershirts;
200 doz Grey Flannel Undershirts;
450 doz Lambswool Drawers;
250 doz bleached drill Drawers;
1,500 doz Overalls;
200 Denim Frocks;
1,200 doz country knit Wool Socks;
1,500 doz heavy white and mixed Cotton Socks;
1,000 pieces super Silk Pocket Handkerchiefs.
100 doz super Black Silk Neckerchiefs;
200 doz Cambric Handkerchiefs;
300 doz Rubber Belts;
250 doz Buckskin Gloves;
400 doz Buckskin Gold Bags;
1,000 Doeskin Business Coats;
400 doz Black Cloth Frock Coats;
2,000 assorted Overcoats;
500 assorted Pea Coats;
3,000 Silk, Cloth and Velvet Vests;
20 bales Blue and White Blankets;
50 bales A Sheetings;
50 bales Drills;
30 bales assorted Duck;
50 cases fine Felt Hats;
100 cases Straw Hats.

For sale by WM. G. BADGER,

Wholesale Clothing Warehouse,

109 Battery street, corner Merchant, San Francisco.

N. B. No Goods sold at retail. aug1-3m

Mercantile and Business Houses.

NEW TOBACCO, CIGAR,

— AND —

VARIETY STORE!

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Opposite Cashman's New Store.

The undersigned will keep constantly on hand and will be constantly receiving every article imaginable almost, and finest kind of

Cigars and Tobacco

in particular.

Fancy articles of every description will always be found upon the shelves of this establishment.

"A Thousand and One" would be the lowest figure that could be stopped at, were an enumeration of the great variety of goods composing our stock attempted.

We will mention a few of the leading articles—

BOOKS and STATIONERY,
HOLYDAY TOYS,
WALL PAPER,
GARDEN SEEDS,
HARDWARE,
&c., &c.

All kinds of FRUIT, NUTS, CONFECTIONARY and FANCY ARTICLES.

—ALSO—

PERFUMERY

of every description.

A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.

nov1-tf NEAL & McGRANN

Wholesale and Retail

DRY GOODS

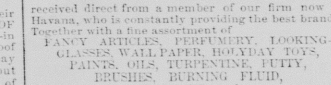
— AND —

CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT,

North of the Eldorado Hotel, Main St.,

MARIPOSA.

COHENS, SAMUELS & CO



The undersigned beg leave to inform the citizens of Mariposa and vicinity, that we have opened and will always keep on hand a large assortment of

SILKS, EMBROIDERIES,

STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,

LADIES, MISSES AND CHILDRENS'

SHOES, GAITERS AND SLIPPERS.

Also, a full assortment of finest and best

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS

And a good supply of

MINERS' CLOTHING:

Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, which we offer for sale at the lowest market prices to those who will favor us with their patronage. We respectfully invite the Ladies and Gentlemen to call at our Store and examine our Goods before purchasing elsewhere, as it will be no trouble to show goods, so call and see. COHEN, SAMUELS & CO.

N. B. Gold Dust taken in exchange at the highest prices.

P. S. We have established a store at Agua Frio, where the same kind of goods will be sold, and the same advantages afforded to purchasers as in Mariposa. C. S. & G. m28-tf

J. B. ISBAIL,

DENTIST.

Main Street, Mariposa.

Formerly of Philadelphia, Penn., is permanently located in Mariposa, having a comfortable and convenient Office. Next door to the Pacific Express, with all the necessary instruments and appliances, will do any kind of work that pertains to the profession of Dentistry, in a manner which shall give entire satisfaction, or the money refunded.

Artificial Teeth inserted on Gold Plate or on Pivot, as the case may require. Teeth Plugged with pure gold, or Extracted. Childrens' Teeth regulated when necessary, and all diseases of the gums treated—the most of which are called Scurvey of the gums. Cure or no pay.

Cloroform administered if desired. Terms reasonable. Examination free. Jy. 11th, 1856-tf

Variety Store,

.... AND ....

OLD CURIOSITY SHOP!!

Main Street, Opposite Phillips' Hotel,

MARIPOSA.

Where can be found all sorts of useful and ornamental articles, not to be found in any other store in the County, consisting of the largest and best selected stock of

HARDWARE,
CARPENTERS' TOOLS,
BOOKS STATIONERY,
GARDEN SEEDS,
FINE SADDLERY
WINDOW GLASS & SASH,
BUILDERS' MATERIALS, &c.,

ever offered for sale in this town.

—ALSO—

PRIME CHEWING TOBACCO AND GENUINE HAVANA CIGARS,

received direct from a member of our firm now in Havana, who is constantly providing the best brands. Together with a fine assortment of

FANCY ARTICLES, PERFUMERY, LOOKING-GLASSES, WALL PAPER, HOLYDAY TOYS, PAINTS, OILS, TURPENTINE, PUTTY, BRUSHES, BURNING FLUID, LAMP OIL, and

MUSIC AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS!

—ALSO—

Lamp Chimneys, Sand Paper, Writing Paper, Knives and Forks, Horse Combs and Brushes, Brass Butts, Chisels, Saw Files, Latches, Farmers, Files and Chisels, Marking Gauges, Ham rs, Compasses, Divisors, Shoe Knives, Candlesticks, Playing Cards, Butcher Knives, Screws and Hooks, Gaugers, Awls, Tap Bores, Gimblets, Locks, Hasps, Staples, Screw Drivers, Pincers, Paper Cutters, Butts.

And a thousand other articles, too numerous to mention, all of which we offer at *San Francisco Prices*, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, FOR CASH!

Call and be supplied. jy12-tf N. COHN & CO.

GREESMAN & COHN, Cigar and Tobacco Store, Wholesale, 88 Sacramento street, San Francisco.—Stock received direct from Havana. July 12-tf

APOTHECARY

.... AND ....

DRUGGIST.

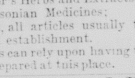
A. D. BOYCE, Agent.

Has constantly on hand a full and fresh supply of Foreign and Domestic Drugs;
French, English and American Chemicals;
Perfumery and Family Medicines;
Shaker's Herbs and Extracts;
Thomsonian Medicines;

and in fact, all articles usually to be found in a well stocked establishment.

Physicians can rely upon having their prescriptions carefully prepared at this place. jy12-tf

Furniture and Bedding



MANUFACTORY & STORE.

CHARLES STURCKE begs leave to announce to his friends and the public, that he has established himself in the above line of business

On Main street, nearly opposite McNamara & Crippen's.

Where he is prepared to execute all orders that he may be favored with, at short notice, and in the most satisfactory manner.

A large assortment of FURNITURE and BEDDING will always be kept on hand.

Old Furniture repaired, upholstered and varnished, in a manner to renew the strength, and appearance, at reasonable prices.

Mattrasses and Pillows, of all sizes and qualaties, Made to order. Also—Wood Carving done.

☞ BILLIARD TABLES repaired and leveled, and NEW CUSHIONS made to order.

The undersigned will endeavor to merit, and hopes to receive a share of the public patronage.

Most respectfully, CHARLES STURCKE.

Mariposa, March 6th 1856. tf

Musical Boxes! Musical Boxes!

OF EVERY SIZE and style, with Mandolin and Bell attachments, and selections of music from Operas, National Airs, Polkas, Waltzes, etc.

for sale by BRIGGS, DYE & CO.,

98 Montgomery st., corner California.

Hotels, Saloons, &c.

PHILLIPS' HOTEL!

☞ MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA. ☜

Refitted and Refurnished Throughout!

—o—

MR. PHILLIPS, who has had much experience in the above line of business, as the Proprietor of one of the first Hotels in Mariposa, has made preparations for the wants of the traveling community at his Hotel.

An excellent TABLE, under the supervision of his Lady—and the best of BEDS and FURNISHED ROOMS, always to be had.

☞ Polite attention will always be given, and charges reasonable.

Mariposa, March 18, 1856. m21tf

FRANKLIN HOUSE

—o—

THE UNDERSIGNED takes pleasure in announcing to his old friends and the public generally, that he has leased the above well known House, for the purpose of keeping a

HOTEL

— AND —

BOARDING HOUSE,

where strangers will find all the comforts of a First Class Hotel.

THE TABLE

will be supplied with the best the market affords.

Meals, Oyster Stews, &c., can be had at all hours. Neatness and quietness will at all times be preserved. Boarding, by the week on the most reasonable terms. Private rooms neatly fitted and furnished.

THE BAR

will be supplied with the choisest Liquors of all kinds, and the best Cigars.

july12 1y GEO. A. HAYES.

COULTER'S HOTEL

Coulterville, Mariposa County.

G. W. COULTER.....PROPRIETOR.

WOULD respectfully inform the public that he has made such additions and improvements to his Hotel as the increase of travel and patronage has demanded.

Persons visiting Coulterville, can here find excellent accommodations—a Good Table—Good Beds, and polite attention.

☞ A Stable is attached to the Hotel, under the charge of careful and attentive hostlers. Horses and Mules to let upon reasonable terms. m13 1y

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,

Sansome street, between Commercial and Sacramento.

E. I. ARMSTRONG.....PROPRIETOR.

This House is fitted and furnished in a style inferior to none in the city of San Francisco. Accommodations of a superior discription, are afforded to all, whether transient visitors or regular boarders.

Particular attention will be given to the accommodation of Families, and no efforts will be spared to make this Hotel a home to all who may favor it with their patronage.

Assiduous and polite attention may be relied upon from all connected with the House, by its guests.

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UNION HOUSE!

FRANK WILLIAMS.....PROPRIETOR.

On 5th Street, next Building to the "Old Fremont" Adobe, on the corner of 5th and Main Streets,

☞ MARIPOSA. ☜

THE undersigned, formerly of the "Franklin House," has opened a Hotel under the above name and location.

ACCOMMODATIONS FOR FAMILIES,
PRIVATE PARLORS, AND ROOMS,
A GOOD TABLE AND BEDS,

and assiduous attention from the Proprietor and others connected with the House.

This Hotel is in a retired and pleasant place, free from the noise, confusion, and dust of Main street.

Attached to this establishment is a good STABLE where animals will be well attended to.

FRANK WILLIAMS.

sep20 tf

NEW

BILLIARD SALOON.

—o—

THE UNDERSIGNED having commenced the above business in the fine and spacious new House lately erected on Main street, opposite the Southern Hotel, would respectfully solicit the patronage of their friends and the public generally in and about Mariposa, for which they guarantee the

BEST LIQUORS!

.... AND ....

Billiards upon the most Superb Tables

To be found in the Southern mines.

That an establishment of this kind, well arranged and splendidly fitted up, has long been a want in this section of the country, all are well aware, and it is now hoped from the comfort and elegance of our SALOON, and our long acquaintance in Mariposa county, that we will receive the encouragement of the public. BLUMENTHAL & NEWCOMB.

☞ OUR BAR ☜

is stocked with pure and choice LIQUORS, and the best HAVANA CIGARS. m16-tf

Mariposa Gazette.

A CHILD'S FIRST IMPRESSION OF A STAR.

FROM THE GUADALOUPE PICTORAL.

She had been told
That God made all the stars that twinkled
Up in Heaven—and now she stood,
Watching the coming of the twilight on,
As if it were a new and perfect world,
And this were its first Eve. She stood
Alone, by the low window, with the silken lash
Of her soft eye upraised, and her sweet mouth
Half parted with the new and strange delight
Of beauty, that she could not comprehend
And had not seen before. The purple folds
Of the low sunset clouds; and the blue sky,
That looked so still and delicate above,
Filled her young heart with rapture—and the Eve
Stole on with its deep shadows—and still she stood
Looking at the West with that half smile,
As if a pleasant thought were at her heart. [blue
Presently, on the extreme verge of sunset, where the
Melts into the faint golden yellowness,
A star stood, suddenly—a cry of wild delight burst
From her lips—and putting up her hands,
Her simple thought broke forth expressively—
"Father, dear father, God hath made a Star!"

THE FUNNY CORNER.

A gentleman was promenading one of our fashionable streets with a bright little boy at his side, when the little fellow called out:

"O, pa, there goes an editor!"

"Hush, son," said the father, "don't make sport of the poor man; God only knows what you may come to yet."

WHY, Jenny, how awkwardly you are eating—do take your hand out of your pocket.

"It's my left hand, mother."

"Well, what difference does that make?"

Why I have been reading the Bible, and it says, "let not thy left hand know what thy right doeth.' Don't you suppose it 'ud know I was eatin' corn dumplings with the right if I didn't hide it in my pocket?"

THE LAST YANKEE STORY.—A lady passing through New Hampshire, observed the following notice on a board.

"Horses taken into grass. Long tails three shillings and sixpence, short tails two shillings." The lady asked the owner of the land the reason for the difference of price. He answered, "You see ma'am, the long tails can brush away the flies; but the short tails are so tormented by them that they can hardly eat at all.

"Fellow citizens," said a stump orator, "We have the best country in the world, and the best government. What people on the face of the globe enjoy more privileges than we do? Here we have liberty to speak, and liberty of the press, without onerous despotism. What, fellow citizens, is more desirable than this? Do you want anything more, my countrymen?"

"Yes-sir-ree!" sang out a red faced loafer, "this is dry work. I want a suck out of that flask sticking out of your coat pocket behind."

Some ladies, riding recently in the neighborhood of Montreal, Canada East, met an Indian woman with a very pretty baby, nearly white. One of the ladies, stopping to admire the "pappoos," exclamed, "Surely, my dear woman, that isn't an Indian baby."—"Oogh!" said the squaw, with the sullen indifference of the race—"Yes—some Indian; some *soldier*." "Drive on, coachman!" said the lady spitefully.

FISH—Price is rather "salty." Salmon is going up—Feather river. Mackerel (well broiled) is getting "down in the mouth." Sardines are in good supply, but cannot be got without the *tin*—Oysters *can*.

CHEESE—particularly old cheese—is lively.

The prospect of Turkey is brigtening, according to late accounts. Omar Pacha's army are to "scour the country," and enforce the new laws. If there is a sufficient number of bricks in the army, Turkish society may become highly polished.

The bachelors of Cleveland are an ungallant set of fellows. At their annual supper a few nights ago, the following was the seventh regular toast: "Our future Wives—Distance lends enchantment to the view."

A member of the present House of Representatives from one of the western States, was so poor that he paid for his tuition by ringing the college bell at the session hour. He literally "rung himself in." What a forcible illustration of the sentiment, "Honor and fame from no condition rise."

"My bretherin," said Swift, in a sermon, "there are three sorts of pride—pride of birth, of riches, of talents. I shall not now speak of the latter, none of you being liable to that abominable vice!"

Santa Anna, the ex-Dictator of Mexico, is living in great style at Tabaco, four miles from Carthagena, in New Grenada, South America. He is said to be worth $4,000,000.—*Ledger*.

If asked why he lived at Tabaco, we presume his answer would be "because I *chews*!"

Dr. Whitefield was accused of rambling in his discourses, by one of his hearers, to which he replied: "If you will wander to the devil, I must ramble after you."

Tying a mackerel to your coat tail and imagining yourself a whale, is one of the first lessons in codfish aristocracy.

Moss will grow upon grave-stones; the ivy will cling to the mouldering pile; the mistletoe springs from the dying branch; and something green and fair to the sight, and greatful to the heart, will yet twine around and grow out of the seams and cracks of the desolate temple of the human heart.

The English are running "Uncle Tom" into the ground. They have Uncle Tom dramas, Uncle Tom songs, and Uncle Tom dinner sets. The last notion rather "takes us off at the knees," viz; Uncle Tom doughnuts. They are made of rye flour, varnished with stove blacking.

There is not a single funny paper published in Russia. What better could be expected from people who live on pickled rawhides and fighting brandy?

Circumstances alter cases. Red paint, which is a great improvement on the looks of old houses, is but an injury to the cheeks of young ladies.

PISTOLS FOR TWO.—Col. Sam Colt has just been married. With all his revolvers he could not defend himself against the little boy with the bow and arrow.

A boy being sent for a cent's worth of Macaboy snuff, forgot the name of the article, and asked for a cent's worth of make-a-boy sneeze.

Stockton Advertisements.

HEWLETT & COLLINS,

Corner Main and Hunter Streets,

STOCKTON,

HAVE ON HAND A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF AGICULTURAL AND MINING IMPLEMENTS; GROCERIES;
SHIP CHANDLERY;
PROVISIONS;
LIQUORS;
WINES;
CIGARS;
CLOTHING;

— AND ALL —

GOODS SUITED TO THE MINES.

Traders visiting this city for the purpose of purchasing, are respectfully solicited to call and examine their stock. They possess facilities which enables them to compete with any house in this city, in regard to price, and all goods purchased of them will be warranted.

Prompt and careful attention paid to orders and goods forwarded without delay. m9-tf

To Agriculturists.

JUST RECEIVED, and on hand for sale at prices to enable all who wish to use
McCORMIC'S REAPER and MOWER, combined;
MANNEY'S REAPERS, extra Irons;
PITT'S EIGHT HORSE THRESHERS;
SEYMOUR & MORGAN'S REAPERS;
GALE'S CELEBRATED STRAW CUTTERS;
CANAL BARROWS;
HARRIS' SCYTHES and PATENT SNAITHS;
CRADLE SCYTHES;
GRANT'S WIRE BRACE CRADLES;
MULY AND GRAPE VINE CRADLES;
FANNING MILLS, all sizes;
HORSE CARTS, etc., etc.
For sale low as the lowest, by
HEWLETT & COLLINS,
m9-tf Corner Main and Hunter streets, Stockton.

Hewlett & Collins

HAVE CONSTANTLY ON HAND, to arrive, and in store, at their old stand, corner of Main and Hunter streets, the largest and best assortment of GOODS, in their line, to be found in Stockton, consisting in part of the following articles:

LONG HANDLE, ROUND POINT, AND CAST STEEL SHOVELS; SLUICE FORKS,

Of every style and variety, diamond and oval tyned; Handled and unhandled Collin's and Hunt's Axes; Picks, assorted brands; Axe and Pick Helves, Sluice Hoes and Rakes; Mining Trowels; Powder and Shot; Ox Yokes and Chains; Fuse; Horse, Wrought, Cut, Finishing and Fencing Nails, all sizes;

HAYING TOOLS:

Hay and Horse Rakes, Scythes and Snaiths; Wilcox and Grant's Grape Vine and Plain, Wood and Iron brace Grain Cradles;
Grant's Mully Grain Cradles;
Ruggles, Nourse, Mason & Co.'s Eagle Plows;
Iron and Steel Harrows and Cultivators;
Patent Churns, Sausage Cutters and Stuffers;
Hay Cutters; Hay Forks;

CORDAGE OF EVERY DESCRIPTION:

Bailing Rope, Kambro Line, Marline;
Three threaded Manilla Rope, slack twist, a very superior article;
Assorted sizes Annealed Baling Wire;
Shot of all sizes.
For sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS,
m9-tf Corner Main and Hunter Streets, Stockton.

COAL! COAL! COAL!

THE SUBSCRIBERS have now on hand at HEWLETT & COLLINS' COAL YARD, on the Peninsula, near C. M. Weber's, STOVE and BLACKSMITH'S COAL, in casks and sacks. We are receiving Coal DIRECT from the CUMBERLAND MINES, which enables us to sell at San Francisco prices, with freight added.

Purchasers will do well to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. Orders must be left at the store on the corner of Main and Hunter streets, Stockton.
m13tf HEWLETT & COLLINS.

GUNPOWDER—Dupont's Sporting, FFFg, in 1 lb. cannisters.
Dupont's Sporting, Fg, FFg and FFFg, in 6½, 12½ and 25 lb. kegs.
Hazard's Sporting, Fg, FFg and FFFg, In 6½, 12½ and 25 lb. kegs.
Dupont's Eagle Duck, No. 1, in 6½ lb. kegs.
Hazard's American Sporting, in 6½ lb. kegs, brass hoops.
Hazard's Kentucky Rifle, in 1 lb. cannisters.
Blasting Powder, in 25 lb. kegs.
Cannon and Musket Powder, in 25 lb. kegs.
For sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS,
m13 tf Corner Main and Hunter streets, Stockton.

REAPING AND MOWING MACHINES.—Seymore & Morgan's Patent Self Raking Reapers with Mower Attachment—improvement of 1855—having two Sickle Knives for Reaping, and one Plain Knife for Mowing, with extra Sections or Blades, Pinions and Guards.
Also, Manny's and Hussy's with Mower attachment. Just received, and for sale at San Francisco prices, by HEWLETT & COLLINS,
m2-tf Corner Main and Hunter streets, Stockton.

GRAIN SACKS—30,000 Grain and Flour Sacks, at reduced prices. For sale by
HEWLETT & COLLINS,
m2-tf Corner Main and Hunter streets, Stockton.

POWDER, SHOT, BAR LEAD, PERCUSSION CAPS and Safety Fuse, constantly on hand and for sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS,
m13 tf Corner Main and Hunter streets, Stockton.

100 KEGS OF BLASTING POWDER, for sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS,
m13-tf Corner Main and Hunter streets, Stockton.

E. S. HOLDEN,

Importer, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
ENGLISH, FRENCH AND AMERICAN DRUGS, MEDICINES, AND CHEMICALS.

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, DYE STUFFS, Glass, Putty, Glue, Sand Paper, Paint, Camel's Hair and Whitewash Brushes; Cloth, Hair, Flesh, Tooth and Nail Brushes; Fine and Choice Perfumery and Fancy Goods; Pure Liquors and Wines, for Medical and Sacramental Purposes; Surgical Instruments; Trusses, Shoulder Braces, Supporters; White Lead, ground in oil; Pure and No. 1 Red Lead; Black Lead; Black Paint, ground in Oil; Lamp Black, in assorted papers; Spanish Brown; Prussian Blue Carmene, No. 1 to 6; White and Red Chalk; Chrome Green, ground in oil and dry; Paris Green, ground in oil, and dry; Imperial Brunswick and Permanent Green; Drop Black; Drop Lake; Gold Leaf; Litharge; French Yellow Ochre, Rose Pink; Vermillion Pumice Stone; Rotten Stone; Patent Dryer; Spanish Whiting; Spirits of Turpentine; Terra de Sienna; Turkey Umber; Copal Japan and Demat Varnish; Verdigris; Venetian Red; Zinc Paint; Fire Proof Paint; Wood and Paper Pill Boxes; Elastic and Metallic Bougies; Elastic Breast Exhausters; Glass Breast Pipes; Breast Pumps; Glass Tube for applying Nitrate of Silver; Domestic Instrument for self injecting, (Maw's); Elastic and Silver Catheters; Cupping Glasses; Eye Glasses; Electro-Magnetic Battery; Glass Funnels; Gallipots; Graduated Measures; Hair Gloves; Hair Belts; Heifer's Teats; Inhalers; Issue Peas; Lint; Leeches; Medicine Chests, furnished complete; Wedgewood, Glass and Iron Mortars; Nipple Glasses; Nipple Shields; Nursing Bottles; Pessaries; Physician's Pocket Cases; Retorts and Receivers; Saddle Bags; Sheepskins; Scales and Weights, Spatulas; Sponge for Surgeons; Stomach Tubes; Stethoscopes; Suspensary Bandages; Thermometers; Pocket Instruments; Spring Lancets, silver and brass; Thumb Lancets, English and American; Scarificators; Uterine Supporters; the most approved Syringes, from 1 to 24 ozs.; Womb Syringes, the best patterns; Forceps for all purposes. For sale by E. S. HOLDEN,
Stockton, Aug., 1855. ap18-tf

STOCKTON

CITY MILLS!

Main Street, West End—established in 1850.

The undersigned confident—from their long experience in the milling business—of their ability to manufacture the best description of FLOUR, would invite the attention of parties wishing to purchase, to the established reputation their brand has acquired in the Southern Mines, and wherever introduced, for its purity and superior quality.

They would take this occasion to inform their friends and the public, that having added to the premises, a

FIRE PROOF BRICK STORE HOUSE,

40x80 feet, capable of storing 600 tons grain—improved and perfected the machinery of the mills, their increased conveniences enable them to confidently guarantee every sack of flour branded "*Stockton City Mills.*"

To Merchants and Farmers, they would add, that they continue to pay particular attention to grinding all kinds of grain. In conclusion, they would respectfully refer all those unacquainted with the Mills, to the principal Merchants of Stockton and the Southern Mines.

SPERRY & BALDWIN.

N. B. The Office has been removed to the New building, adjoining the Mill, where orders are solicited for
FLOUR, CORN MEAL, GROUND BARLEY,
SHORTS, BRAN, &c.
jy26-tf S. & B.

NOTICE.

STETSON'S SELF-OPERATING AMALGAMATOR. Notice is hereby given to all persons, not to use or infringe on said Patent Amalgamator, without consent of J. A. Z. JONES.
Address Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Office, Mariposa.
je20-3t.

Miscellaneous.

OGODMAN & HUBBELL,

GUN-SMITHS.

At the old stand formerly occupied by J. N. Thomas, nearly opposite the Law Office of Harris & Allison, Mariposa

GUNS RE-STOCKED, REPAIRED IN EVERY PART AND IN THE BEST MANNER.

MR. GOODMAN will devote particular atention to the
Re-Cutting and Re-Sighting of Rifles,
and from much experience in this line he is enabled to guarantee satisfaction.

PISTOLS of every description, and SHOT GUNS repaired at short notice, and the work warranted.
Mariposa, Nov. 15, 1855. tf.

READ'S EXCHANGE, SALES

.. AND ..

LIVERY STABLE!

On Main Street,

Between the Southern and Franklin Hotels, and nearly opposite Phillips' Hotel.

The undersigned having purchased the interest of W. B Taylor in the Livery Business at the above described stand, is now ready to accommodate the Riding and Traveling public with the best of Saddle Horses, and the best of fare for animals.—From a long experience in the trade, he flatters himself that he will be enabled to give general satisfaction to his patrons, on terms to suit the pressure of the times, as no pains or expense will be spared to make his Stable everything that is required by the public.

Animals Kept by the Day, Week, or Month.

HORSES AND MULES BOUGHT AND SOLD.

In connection with the Stable he has opened a general Auction for the Sale of all kinds of Animals, where he will be ready at all times to SELL STOCK on the shortest notice. JAMES G. READ. July 12-tf

LIVERY STABLE.

MANN BROTHERS.

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA,

FIRST BUILDING ABOVE THE SOUTHERN HOTEL, AND NEXT DOOR TO DR. GRANDVOINET'S WAREHOUSE.

THIS STABLE is under the personal superintendance of one of the Proprietors, who will give his individual attention to the care of animals left in his charge. The best of hay and barley fed, and careful attention will be given by an experienced hostler.

A large number of animals are kept constantly on hand to let, under the saddle, or in carriages and buggies. Horses suitable for ladies, are at all times to be had.

HORSES BOUGHT, SOLD AND EXCHANGED.

Persons leaving animals at their Stable for sale, may rely upon their being sold at fair prices.
MANN BROTHERS.
Mariposa, March 18, 1856. m21 tf

A. W. Jee's Store!

Mormon Bar, at the Junction of Mariposa and Stockton Creeks.

THE Subscriber has on hand a complete assortment of
PROVISIONS, GROCERIES,
LIQUORS, AND MINING
TOOLS

Also various descriptions of useful articles, which he offers for sale at the market price
ARTHUR W. JEE.
o20-tf Mormon Bar, Mariposa Creek

J. A. HENRY,

BUTCHER

And Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

PROVISIONS, LIQUORS AND CLOTHING.

Miners and others are requested to call and examine for themselves before purchasing elsewhere. Nov. 1-tf.

LOST—Between the 15th and 28th of January, 1856, a certain note of ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS, bearing date of Sept. 20th, 1855, and made payable to J. W. HUEY, or order, and signed by J. M. BONDURANT, as principal, and also signed by JOHN BOLING, JESSE BONDURANT, WM. R. OWEN and GREEN B. ABLE, as sureties. All persons are hereby cautioned against negotiating for or purchasing said note, as its payment has been stopped, and the note supplanted by the giving of a new one by the above mentioned principal and sureties, to the holders aforesaid of the said note, and in lieu thereof.
J. W. HUEY.
Mariposa, March 17th, 1856. m21-tf

NEW STEAM

SAW MILL.

OWENS, THOMAS & ADAMS.

Located in Mono, four miles from the town Mariposa.

The proprietors of the above mentioned mill would respectfully inform the public that they are now prepared to furnish every size and description of

LUMBER,

made from the best of Norway and Sugar Pine. Their Mill is in excellent order for cutting Lumber rapidly and smoothly. They are located in the midst of large quantities of the best of Timber, which has not been injured by cutting and culling heretofore.

Those wanting lumber are invited to call and examine for themselves, the proprietors feel assured that their lumber is inferior to none in every quality.

Those wishing to visit their Mill will take the Wagon Road leading to Clark, Lamon & Co's Mill, following the road some three miles—thence to the left as indicated by a Guide Board placed at the junction of the two roads. Nov. 1-tf.

BILLIARD SALOON,

.... AND ....

Pistol Gallery.

MR. LEROY VINING would announce to his friends and the public generally, that he has taken the well known saloon called the EL DORADO, opposite Cashman's New Store.

A PISTOL GALLERY has been added to the establishment, and amateurs and others are invited to try their skill.

Two splendid BILLIARD TABLES in perfect order, and a BAR stocked with the choicest liquors, are the other attractions which the Proprietor hopes will insure him a fair share of patronage, which is spectfully solicited.
Mariposa March 27th, 1856. m28 tf

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned having taken a STOCK RANCH on Bear Creek, about one mile and a half from the well known public House of Mrs. Corbett, where there is an abundance of good range and water, proposes to take all the Stock he can get, to ranch.

Having trusty Vaqueros, he feels confident in being able to render general satisfaction. Stock left at Mrs Corbett's Ranch, will be taken care of.
J. BURCKHALTER.
March 28, 1856. ap4-3m

MARIPOSA BATH HOUSE

— AND —

SHAVING SALOON,

Opposite the Franklin House, Mariposa.

REDUCTION OF PRICES!

THE undersigned having had his house newly refitted and furnished, takes the present opportunity of returning thanks for the liberal patronage heretofore extended, and assures his old patrons that nothing shall be wanting on his part to merit a continuance of the same. In order to meet the HARD TIMES, he has REDUCED HIS PRICES, and will hereafter be governed by the following scale:

Shaving	25 cents.
Shampooning	75 "
Hair Cutting	75 "

WARM and COLD BATHS at all hours. Particular attention paid to hair cutting
Give him a call. THOMAS DUFF.
Mariposa, May 2, 1856. m2 tf

San Francisco Advertisements.

DR. J. C. YOUNG

Corner of Montgomery and California sts. over Wells, Fargo & Co's Express Office, San Francisco.

Is the pioneer advertising Physician of California, and the only one who received a Collegiate Medical Education, and is better qualified to treat, and has cured more cases of Private Disease than any other physician. For reference, see all of the papers throughout the State.

CONSTITUTIONAL DEBILITY, OR SEMINAL WEAKNESS.—Dr. YOUNG addresses those who have injured themselves by private and improper indulgences in that secret and solitary habit which ruins the body and mind, unfitting them for either business or society. The following are some of the sad melancholy effects produced by early habits of youth, viz: Weakness of the back and limbs, pain in the head, dimness of sight, loss muscular power, palpitation of the heart, dyspepsia, nervousness, irritability, derangement of the digestive functions, general debility, symptoms of consumption. &c.

MENTALLY the fearful effects on the mind are more to be dreaded. Loss of memory, confusion of ideas, depression of spirits, evil forbodings, aversion to society, self distrust, love of solitude, timidity, &c. &c. are some of the evils produced.

All persons who are afflicted with any of the above symptoms should not fail to call on Dr. Young, and be at once restored to health. Let no false delicacy prevent you, but apply immediately, and save yourselves from the dreadful and awful consequences of this awful malady.

WEAKNESS OF THE ORGANS
immediately cured, and full vigor restored.
Dr. J. C. YOUNG.
Cor. California and Montgomery sts. (up stairs.)

IMPORTANT TO MINERS, TRAVELERS, ETC.

THERE is no malady of deeper importance, either in a medical or moral point of view, to which the human family is more liable than that arising from impure connections.

As a Medical man it is the duty of every physician to look at disease as it affects health and life, and his sole object should be to mitigate, as far as lies in his power, the bodily suffering. Human nature at best is but frail, all are liable to misfortune.

Of all the ills that affect man, none are more terrible than those of a private nature. Dreadful as it is in the person who contracts it, frightful as are its ravages upon his constitution, ending frequently in destruction and a loathsome grave, it becomes of still greater importance when it is transmitted to innocent offspring. Such being the case how necessary it becomes that every one having the least reason to fear that they have contracted the disease, should attend to it at once by consulting some physician, whose respectability and education enables him to warrant a safe, speedy, and permanent cure. In accordance with this necessity, DR. YOUNG feels called upon to state that, by long study and extensive practice, he has become perfect master of all those diseases which come under the denomination of venereal, and having paid more attention to that one branch than any other physician in the United States, he feels himself better qualified to treat them.

Syphilis in all its forms, such as Ulcers, Swelling in the Groins, Ulcers in the Throat, Secondary Syphilis, Cutaneous Eruptions, Ulcerations, Tertuary Syphilis, Syphilis in children, Mercureal Syphilitic Affections, Gonorrhea, Gleet, Strictures, False Passages, Inflamation of the Bladder and Prostrate Glands, Excoriations, Tumors, Postules, ect., are as familar to him as the most common things of daily occurance.

The Doctor effects a cure in recent cases in a few days, and finds no difficulty in curing those of long duration, without submitting the patient to such treatment as will draw upon him the slightest suspicion, or oblige him to neglect his business, whether within doors or without. The diet need not be changed, except in cases of severe inflamation. There are in California patients, (amounting to over two thousand in the past year,) that could furnish proof of this; but these are matters that require the nicest secresy, which he always preserves.

All letters, enclosing $10, will be promptly attended to Office hours from 9 A. M. to 8 P. M. Address
J. C. YOUNG, M. D., Express Building,
Corner of Montgomery and California streets, over Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express Department.

TO THE AFFLICTED—Persons troubled with disease should peruse the following Letters of Recommendations, from DR. J. C. YOUNG'S patients.—They are voluntary offerings of gratitude to him for benefits received, and are proofs of the high Holy Writ of his scientific attainments. No one can read them without at once having confidence in him, and we confidently make the assertion that people afflicted with private or other diseases, will call upon him in preference to any other physic an in the country.—Read them carefully, ye that need medical assistance, and then lose no time in consulting him while there is time left to cure you in.

MARYSVILLE, June 10th, 1855.

DR. J. C. YOUNG, DEAR SIR:—Please send me some of the medicines you prescribed to my case. I have a friend here who is troubled in exactly the same way that I was. He has nightly emissions ringing noise in his head, weak back, loss of memory, and is generally debilitated; he is discouraged and has not confidence enough to enable him to call and see you. I told him how I was, and that my friends all said I was in consumption, and the doctors up here gave me up, and advised me to go home and die, but instead of going home I called upon you, and here I am as well as any of them, and likely to live a long time yet, with strength enough to work with the strongest of them. Doctor I will send every one to you that looks to me as though he needed a physician. It shall not be my fault if any one dies for want of medical treatment. I will do all I can to keep the afflicted away from those evils of society, yclept professors and high-sounding titled men who, if the facts were known, are men who left their country for their country's good. Publish this letter Doctor, if you wish, and I hope that some of those that humbugged me may see it and sleep bad for one night.
Truly yours, GEO. DAVIDSON.

GRASS VALLEY, June 20, 1855.

DEAR SIR:—The last medicine you sent me has done the business. I am now perfectly well, and wish to give my testimony to the public in favor of your skill. I was troubled with a complication of diseases brought on by that soul destroying habit of self-pollution, and complains caught by connection with bad persons of the opposite sex. I have been treated by some of the best physicians, as well as those quacks who infest this State, and by them all given up as incurable; but being advised by a friend who had been benefitted by your scientific treatment, to call upon you. I did so, and feel grateful to him for the information, but still more thankful to you for the care and good advice you gave me, as well as the efficacious medicines you prescribed. If any of the afflicted should see this letter they can be sure that it is a voluntary offering in gratitude for the blessings of health received from you, and also given with a fervent wish that it may be of service to those suffering as I did; and now may God bless you in your effort to lessen the sufferings of the human family, and may all good citizens assist you to drive from the community these leaches that prey upon the public by false pretensions of eminence in the medical world. Yours eternally,
JOHN BURGESS.
To Dr. J. C. Young, San Francisco.

PLACERVILLE, May 28, 1855.

DR. J. C. YOUNG—DEAR SIR:—Words cannot express the gratitude I feel is due to you for the benefit I have received from your truly invaluable course of treatment of my case while prescribing for me. I think I cannot justify myself without giving this small token of my thankfulness and esteem, for you have been the means of saving my life, and restoring to me that health which I had so long despaired of again enjoying. I had for a long time (four years) been troubled with that most dreadful scourge of young people, seminal weakness, or nocturnal emissions, which so weakened me, by body and mind, that I was obliged to give up mining altogether. I consulted one of the best physicians, (so called,) in the mountain districts, and after a carsful examination of my case, he gave me medicines. I continued under his treatment for three months without receiving any benefit, in fact, I grew worse fshm week to week, until at last I got discouraged and asked him for his opinion. I told him not to fear to tell me the whole truth, for I should rather know the worst at once, than to live in suspense. I had lost about thirty pounds of flesh, and knew that he at least could not cure me, and as I was then growing very much worse, soon became one of his victims. This physician then told me that my case was incurable; that I had better not take any more medicines. He said I was in a decline, which was last tending to pulmonary consumption.

I then despaired of obtaining any relief, and saw that unless something was done to mitigate the complaint, that I should be numbered with the dead, or what is worse, be a raving maniac. Happening to see one of your books, the Pocket Æsculapius, I made up my mind at once to call and consult you with the determination of trying once more to get relief if you would undertake the case. Oh, how thankful I am for that determination! I commenced taking the medicines prescribed by you, and I am now, through their healing powers, restored to perfect health. I shall not fail to recommend you to any of my friends that require assistance, for a man that can cure a case as bad as mine was, can cure every disease that flesh is heir to, if there is life enough left in the system to build upon.

Receive my most sincere and heartfelt thanks and esteem. S. W. REGHLEA.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 24, 1855.

Dear Sir—I have not had one single fit since I commenced taking your medicines; I am also gaining strength every day. The trouble that I had, which was the cause of the fits, is also leaving me very fast. In fact, I think I am entirely well, but if you think it best, I will take medicines a short time longer. It is only about two months since I commenced taking your prescriptions, and although you told me it would take from three to four months, yet I feel perfectly well already. I feel sorry that I did not visit you at first, and not allow myself to be led away by the vain boasting of those quacks that copy your style of business, and thereby impose upon the public. They despoiled me of my money, and if I had not stopped taking their vile stuff, they would have robbed me of my life also. Thanks to your superior medical skill, I am beyond danger, and I shall always consider you the savior of my life.

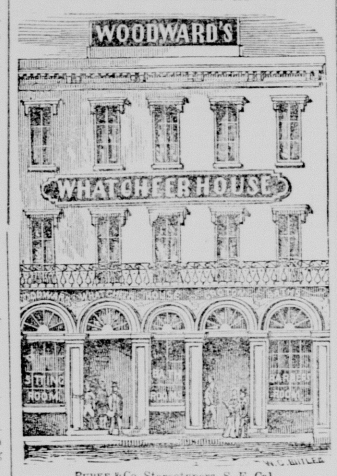
Dear Dr.—Publish this if you consider it worth your while, for I wish to proclaim to the world your worth, that every one who needs a physician may know where to call, and be sure of avoiding deceit and imposition. Yours, till death,
GEO MARSHAL.
To J. C. YOUNG, M. D m6 3m.

San Francisco Advertisements.

Travelers Beware!

Of the impositions and tricks of Hack Drivers, Runners, &c.

ALL PERSONS ARRIVING IN SAN FRANCISCO AND INTENDING TO STOP AT



BURKE & Co, Stereotypers, S. F. Cal.

THE

"WHAT CHEER HOUSE,"

NOS. 119 AND 121 SACRAMENTO ST.

ARE CAUTIONED

TO BEWARE of the tricks and various impositions of Runners and Hack Drivers, representing themselves as being employed by the proprietor of the What Cheer House, thereby inducing the unwary to get into their carriage, by telling them that it belongs to the House, and is free; and afterwards extorting from them exorbitant prices.

Board:

Per day	$1
" week	6
Single Meals	50 cts.

Lodgings:

Per Night	50 cts., 75 cts., and $1 00
Per Week	$2, $3, $4 and $6

BATHS FREE!

In addition to a large number of rooms having from two to three beds in each, there is also one hundred well finished and neatly furnished

SINGLE BED ROOMS,

The beds are fitted up with Springs, and the best of Curled Hair Mattrasses, thereby making the House one of the best in the City.

LODGINGS WITH OR WITHOUT BOARD—THE HOUSE IS OPEN ALL NIGHT.

N. N.—The What Cheer House sends to the Boats an express wagon, with the name of the House on it, for the purpose of CARRYING PASSENGERS AND BAGGAGE FREE!

The proprietor wishes it understood that all others act without any authority from him.
R. B. WOODWARD, Proprietor.
San Francisco, Jan. 17, 1856. aug1-3m.

YE THAT SUFFER!

READ! READ!! READ!!!

DR. PAREIRAS

Great Italian Remedy!

FOR THE CERTAIN AND SPEEDY CURE OF DISEASES OF A PRIVATE NATURE, NO MATTER HOW LONG STANDING, WITHOUT ANY INJURIOUS EFFECT TO THE SYSTEM, OR ANY CHANGE OF DIET.

It Never has Failed—It Cannot Fail to Cure.

THIS Invaluable Specifice, first introduced into Pisa some *fifty years* since, soon became so well known as a '*certain cure*,' that in every town and city not only on the Continent, but in Great Britian they demand for it was so *great*, its merits so *astounding*, that in less than one year from its introduction, it had *supplanted* all other remedies. The Medical Faculty of the principal cities of Europe were compelled to acknowledge its wonderful *mastery* over disease.—Proprietors of other Medicine, jealous of its sway, vainly endeavored to stay its onward progress.—Like grass before the mower, their efforts fell to the ground; and like fire on the praries, sweeping all before it, its onward march became *triumphant*. It stood forth upon its own merits; a discerning public saw, tried and was convinced of its *magical virtues*.—The massive fortune acquired by Dr. Pareiras from the sale of it during the six years he prepared it, alone bore witness to its *miraculous merits*. At the decease of the Doctor the receipt was bequeathed to his son, who has lately introduced the remedy into the United States. The number of *cures* it has already made are astonishing. *Thousands* and tens of thousands can bear testimony to its efficacy.

ALL WHO USE IT, IT WILL CURE,

With a safety, speed and certainty no other medicine has ever possessed.

RESORT TO NO QUACK NOSTRUMS.

Use a remedy that has been tried for the past *fifty years*, and was never known to fail.

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS.

The extensive sale of this wonderful medicine has already caused some person or persons, to palm off upon the unsuspecting, a spurious compound closely resembling the original. Be particular to buy none without the written signature of A. Pareira, M. D. on the outside wrapper of each bottle. All others are counterfeit, and their compounders will be punished with the utmost rigor of the law.

Price Three Dollars per bottle. For sale by D. Babcock, sole Agent for California, Oregon and the Sandwich Islands, to whom all orders must be addressed. A liberal discount made to wholesale dealers.
D. BABCOCK, Wholesale Druggist.
153 Clay street, San Francisco.

LIST OF AGENTS THROUGHOUT THE STATE:

A. D. Bovce, Druggist	Mariposa.
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